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Wants in the BIG SUNDAY
POST-DISPATCH Real
Estate and Want Directory
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TWICE as many as the Globe-Democrat,
SIX TIMES as many as the Republic.

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ZEPPELIN SHOT DOWN BY BRITISH IN THE NORTH SEA

L-22 Destroyed by Naval
Forces, Marking Fourth
Attempt at Dirigible Raid
in Year That Has Ended
in Disaster.

Thunderstorms Break Heat
Wave on Arras Battlefield,
Where British Make Pro-
gress in Roex.

French Repulse Reconnoit-
ing Parties at Several
Points—Germans Make
Raids in Ypres Sector.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, May 14.—British naval
forces destroyed Zeppelin L-22 in the
North Sea this morning, according to an
official statement issued by the Ad-
miralty.

The destruction of the L-22 marks the
fourth attempt at Zeppelin raids within
the last year which has ended in disaster.
Two of the mammoth airships were
shot down during a raid on London on
Sept. 2, 1916, and two months later two
more Zeppelins were destroyed off the
English coast. On March 17, French
artillerymen shot down a Zeppelin be-
hind the French lines when it was
endeavoring to reach Paris.

Thunderstorms Break Heat Wave in
Arras Battlefield.

By Associated Press.
BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN
FRANCE, May 14.—British troops have
just about completed the absorption of
two important villages to which the
Germans have clung desperately ever
since the battle of Arras began. One
of these villages is Roex, on the north
bank of the Scarpe, and the other is
Bullecourt, which lies directly in the
Hindenburg line, just to the west of
Quentin.

As a result of steady fighting during
the last 48 hours, the Germans' foothold
in Bullecourt has been reduced to two
isolated posts, where bombing flights are
continuing. A virtually similar situation
exists in Roex.

Since the British victory on Saturday
the German counter-attacks have lacked
much of their recent fierceness. The
number of prisoners taken during this
time has been exceptionally large for
the character of the operations and the
number of troops involved. These may
merely be coincidences, or it may be
that the German attacks have become
less energetic since they have failed in
sending so many of their troops to their
death in massed formation. The Ger-
man soldiers have been fighting very
stoutly since reserves were thrown into
the Arras area.

The heat wave in the fighting district
has been temporarily broken by a series
of thunderstorms.

Berlin Says Bullecourt Has Been Held
in Bitter Fighting.

BERLIN, via London, May 14.—The
battle near Bullecourt was continued
yesterday with bitterness, says the of-
ficial statement issued today by the
army headquarters staff, and in the
stubborn struggle "we retained the
ruins of the village against several
enemy attacks."

"In St. Quentin the destruction
wrought by enemy shelling becomes
greater daily," the statement says. "The
enemy yesterday lost 12 airplanes and
one captive balloon."

Allies Captured 49,578 Germans, 444
Cannons, in Month.

By Associated Press.
THE FRENCH ARMIES IN
FRANCE, May 14.—According to authori-
tative figures now available, the French
and British armies between April 9 and
May 13 captured 49,578 Germans, includ-
ing 776 officers, 44 heavy and field can-
nons, 943 machine guns and 338 trench
cannons.

British Admiralty Denies That Cruis-
er Cordelia Was Damaged by Mine.
LONDON, May 14.—The British admi-
ralty today issued a denial of a German
wireless report that the British cruiser
Cordelia had struck a mine and had
been towed to Harrow, badly damaged.

No previous report had been received
of a mishap to the Cordelia. She is a
light cruiser laid down in February,
1914, and displacing about 2700 tons.

British Make Progress in the Village
of Roex.

LONDON, May 14.—"Hostile raids were
repulsed last night northeast of Ephey
and north of Ypres," says today's of-
ficial announcement. We secured a few
prisoners. We progressed during the
night in Roex village (Arras front)."
Last night's official announcement
said:

"Early this morning the enemy made
two counter-attacks upon our positions
in the Hindenburg line east of Bulle-
court. His troops were repulsed and
left a number of dead in front of our
trenches."

"During the past ten days the Aus-
tralian troops have gallantly maintained
their positions in this sector of the
Hindenburg line, having during the
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NEW TAX LAWS NOT SUBJECT TO REFERENDUM, JUDSON THINKS

St. Louisans Write His Views to Gov-
ernor—Holds Such Legislation Is
Clearly Exempted.
JEFFERSON CITY, May 14.—Frederick N. Judson of St. Louis, in a letter
to Gov. Gardner today, upholds the view
taken by Attorney-General McAllister
that the inheritance tax law or other
tax laws enacted by the last Legislature
cannot be referred to the people by refer-
endum petitions.

U. S. COMMISSION TO RUSSIA RECEIVES FINAL INSTRUCTIONS

Elihu Root and Five Members Hold
Conference With President and
Secretary Lansing.
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 14.—Six members
of the American Commission to Russia,
headed by former Senator Elihu Root,
and accompanied by Secretary Lansing,
conferred with President Wilson today
regarding their mission.

10 ACRES OF RANKEE TRACT FOR FREE RECREATION PLACE

Park Commissioner to Convert
Ground Into Baseball Diamond
and Tennis Courts.
Park Commissioner Cluniff today an-
nounced he had obtained for the city the
free use of a 10-acre tract between the
Missouri Pacific tracks and Chouteau
avenue and Hanken and Compton ave-
nues and would convert it into a recrea-
tion place. He plans to lay out three
baseball diamonds, several tennis courts
and a running track.

COLLEGE GIRLS STUDY "PLAY"

Ten at Lindenwood Qualifying to Di-
rect Playground Classes.
Ten girls at Lindenwood College are
learning how to "play," so they may
take charge of playground classes this
summer. They are fashioning homemade
kites, spinning tops, telling dramatic
stories, and otherwise amusing St.
Charles (Mo.) children, who are their
willful subjects, on Saturday afternoons.

\$50 FINE FOR WHISKY THEFT

"Was it good whisky?" Federal Judge
Dyer asked today, when Charles Green,
charged with stealing a bottle of whisky
from an interstate shipment, was
arraigned before him. The prosecuting
witness replied that it was very good,
and the Court imposed a fine of \$50.
Green was an employee of the St. Louis
Transfer Co. The offense was com-
mitted on election day, last November,
when saloons were closed.

REGULAR ARMY TO BE FILLED TO WAR STRENGTH AT ONCE

Expansion Authorized by the
President; Forming of New
Regiments Begins Tomorrow.

ADDITION OF 183,000
Portion of This Force, About
65,000, Has Already Been
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the regular war army to the full war
strength contemplated in the adminis-
tration bill has been authorized by Pres-
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regiments will begin tomorrow. About
65,000 of the 183,000 men to be added to
the army already have been recruited.
The immediate effect of the order will
be to promote nearly two-thirds of the
present officers of the regular army.
In the Southern Department the Fifty-
first, Fifty-second, Fifty-third, Fifty-
fourth, Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth Regi-
ments of infantry will be raised at
Chickamauga Park, Ga., from the three
regiments of infantry from the border.
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ment will be one of those to be ex-
panded. The Twenty-second and Twenty-
third Cavalry Regiments also will be
raised at Chickamauga Park, one exist-
ing cavalry regiment being brought back
from the border to the point for expan-
sion.

Expansion at Fort Sill.
The Thirtieth and Fourteenth Field
Artillery Regiments will be raised at
Fort Sill, Ok.; the Fifty-seventh Infantry
Regiment, the Sixty-fourth Infantry and
the Twenty-first Field Artillery also will
be raised in the Southern Department,
at places to be designated by the depart-
ment commander.

The Quartermaster-General has been
instructed to prepare shelters for the
troops in all departments and officers
already have been assigned to that work.

In the Central Department the Fortieth
and Forty-first Infantry Regiments
will be raised at Fort Snelling, Minn.;
the Forty-second and Forty-third at
Fort Douglas, Utah; the Tenth and
Eleventh Field Artillery at Fort Riley,
Kan., where the Twentieth and Twenty-
first Cavalry Regiments also will be
recruited; the Sixteenth and Seventeenth
Field Artillery will be raised at Sparta,
Wis., in each case existing regiments
being brought back from the border to
the points named for expansion.

TWO BIG BRITISH STEAMERS SUNK APRIL 28 OFF PLYMOUTH

Passengers Reaching New York Tell
of Destruction of the Medina
and the Omrah.
NEW YORK, May 14.—The British
passenger steamship Medina, a 12,300-ton
vessel, owned by the Peninsular & Ori-
ental Steam Navigation Co., was tor-
pedoed and sunk by a German submarine
April 28, when off the coast of Plym-
outh, according to American passengers
arriving here today from England.
On the same day, in almost the same
locality, the Omrah, a vessel of 3100 tons,
owned by the Orient Steam Navigation
Co., also was torpedoed and sunk, the
passengers said. No lives were lost on
either ship, but valuable cargoes went
down.

A "Runaway"

Yesterday (Sunday) the POST-DISPATCH alone
again (for the 528th consecutive week) "Ran Away"
from the other 2 entries, the Globe-Democrat and
Republic.

The POST-DISPATCH, as usual, distanced both
added together, in all classes of advertising.

The Count for Sunday, May 13:
Total Paid Advertising—
POST-DISPATCH alone 390 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 325 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone exceeded both 65 Cols.

Home-Merchants' Advertising—
POST-DISPATCH alone 174 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 149 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone exceeded both 25 Cols.

National Advertising—
POST-DISPATCH alone 76 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 62 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone exceeded both 24 Cols.

Real Estate and Wants—
POST-DISPATCH alone 140 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 124 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone exceeded both 16 Cols.

CIRCULATION
92% Weekday in St. Louis and Suburbs
Average for April, 1917:

Daily 204,550 Sunday 367,646

St. Louis' One Big Newspaper.

TRADING IN WHEAT STOPPED HERE AND IN CHICAGO 2 DAYS

Dealing in Corn and Oats for
May Delivery Discontinued
by Exchanges.

GENERAL CONFERENCE

Board Representatives Asked to
Meet in Chicago for Action
to Curb Runaway Prices.

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sion.

He said that while contracts on July
and September wheat here were large,
the trade is fairly well evened up, so
far as short sales and long purchases
are concerned.

There are, however, many short con-
tracts outstanding in July and Septem-
ber wheat and these will be adjusted,
as much as possible, while trading is
suspended for two days.

Speculative commission houses would
be hard hit if trading in all grains
should be suspended, as their profits
accrue entirely from commissions on
optional purchases or sales.

Cash grain interests would not be ad-
versely affected, as the demand for ac-
tual wheat for months has been enormous
and houses handling the actual
grain have experienced unusually good
business, and this would continue.

Cash wheat Saturday was quoted at
\$1.40 to \$1.50 when trading in May wheat
was suspended at \$1.38.

In adjusting open contracts in July and
September wheat today, the former
dropped to \$1.25 and the latter to \$1.23,
a decline of 18 to 20 cents from Satur-
day's close. Later the market recovered
7 to 9 cents. Corn sold 7 1/2 to 8 1/2
higher, with July at \$1.58 and Septem-
ber at \$1.49. Late in the session a part
of the advance was lost.

This indicates the unusual demand for
milling wheat for domestic needs and
was a big factor in the 2-cent advance
in July and September wheat last Sat-
urday.

Milling interests are placed in a pecu-
liar position in the abandonment of
speculative trading in wheat, as many
local mills have recently contracted for
sales of flour for September delivery at
\$2 to \$2.50 under current market prices
and the advance in July and September
wheat has caused a jump of \$2 to \$2.50
a barrel in flour since the contracts
were written, entailing a big loss to the
mills.

One local mill was credited with hav-
ing made sales of 10,000 barrels of flour
10 days ago for September shipment,
fully \$2.50 below prices at that time.
A member of the Exchange said it might
be necessary for the directors to adjust
the flour sales between millers and
purchasers.

CONCERTED ACTION TO CURB SOARING PRICES PLANNED

Exchanges of Various Cities
Urged to Send Representa-
tives to Chicago Meeting.

CHICAGO, May 14.—The Chicago
Board of Trade, following its order to-
day forbidding trade in grain futures for
two days, sent out a call to boards of
trade throughout the country in which
the advance in grain prices was de-
scribed as a menace to the public and
to Chicago to consider concerted action
to stop the runaway tendency of wheat
prices. Invitations have been sent to
the following cities: St. Louis, Duluth,
Minneapolis, Toledo, Kansas City and
Winnipeg.

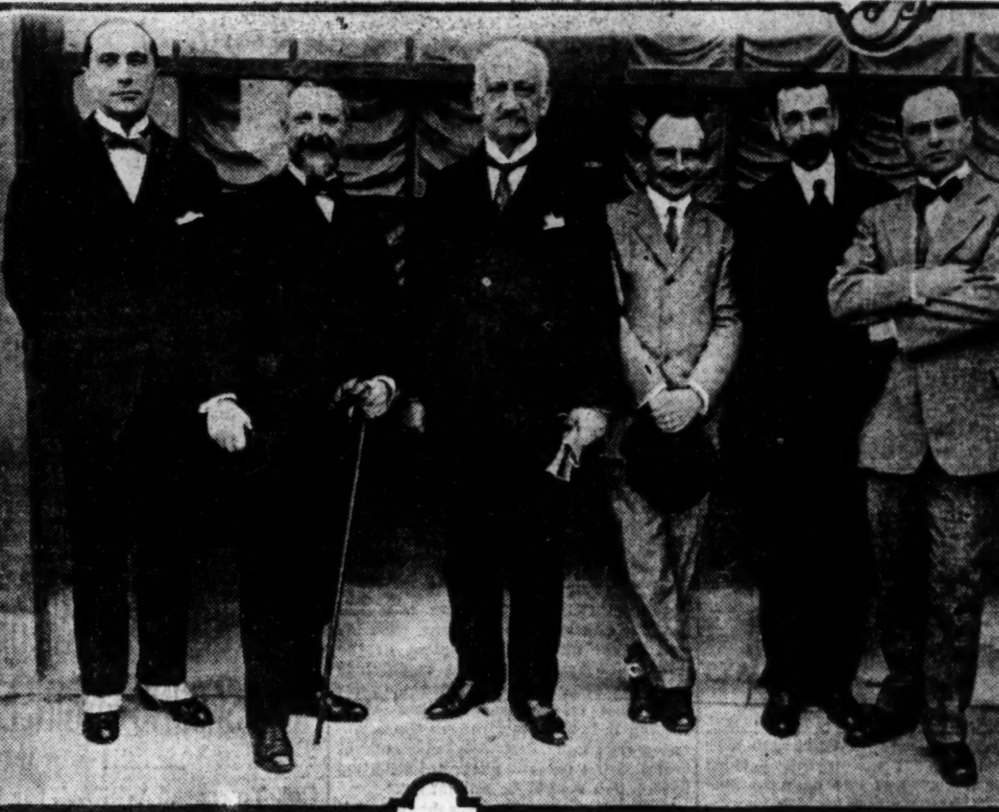
Grain brokers themselves, irrespective
of action by the Board of Trade, are ex-
pected to cease handling speculative
grain accounts by night. Three of them
this forenoon announced that until fur-
ther notice they would accept no trade
in wheat, corn or oats options, except to
sell or to close up existing contracts.

The three firms were Logan & Bryan,
which is one of the biggest in the country;
the Thomson-McKinnon Co. and
Wagner & Co. Other big house employ-
ers said to have similar action under
consideration. Smaller houses, it is said,
would have to fall in line.

Brokerage houses in pursuit of their
determination to cease speculative trad-
ing, began discontinuing telegraph oper-
ators, hundreds of whom are employed,
and lesser clerks. The wheat pit by
noon was practically deserted. Prices,
on the few evening-up trades, sagged
further. July dropped to \$1.22 and Sep-
tember to \$1.23, net losses respectively of
21 and 21 cents compared with Satur-
day's close.

The official statement given out by
President Griffith of the board follows:
"At a special meeting of the board of
directors held this morning it was de-
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Members of War Mission Italy Has Sent to U. S.



Left to right: Aloise Bagodini of the Transportation Department; Gen. Guglielmo, military attaché;
Enrico Arlotto, Minister of Marine and Railroad Transportation, chairman of the commission; Commander
Tannatelli, naval attaché; G. Pardo of the Department of Industry and Commerce, and Gaetano Piera of
the Agriculture Department.

SIX members of the Italian War Mission to the United
States arrived in New York last Friday so quietly
that not even the Government had been informed
of it. Consequently no Government official was on hand
to meet them. They explained that others will reach
America in a few days and that they prefer that any
welcoming demonstration that may be planned be put off
until the full commission is on hand to share in it.

BANK ROBBERS KILL 3 IN PITTSBURG SUBURB

Posse Pursues Them 10 Miles in
Autos, Kills One and Wounds
The Other Two.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 14.—Three per-
sons in the First National Bank of Cas-
tle Shannon, a suburb, were killed soon
after noon today when an attempt was
made to rob the bank.
The robbers escaped after the shoot-
ing.

Reports received by the county de-
tectives said three men entered the
bank, in which D. H. McLean, the
cashier, and Frank Erbe, assistant
cashier, were working. The shooting be-
gan immediately, and after securing a
sum of money the men ran into the
street. There, Nick Vost, a street rail-
way dispatcher, at once opened fire on
them. They returned the fire and Vost
fell. Further up the street they en-
countered George Bolshover, a Magis-
trate, who also began shooting. He, too,
was shot. The robbers ran a block far-
ther to an automobile, into which they
jumped and drove away.

A posse of business men was quickly
organized and the robbers, who had
taken a hill road, were pursued in au-
tomobiles. They were overtaken near
Bridgeville, Pa., 10 miles away, and in
the fight which followed, one of them
was killed and the others wounded.

McLean and Erbe were removed to a
hospital in Pittsburgh, where Erbe died,
and physicians said McLean could not
recover.

JELICOE CHIEF OF BRITAIN'S NEWLY-FORMED NAVAL STAFF

First Sea Lord to Devote His Entire
Time to Strategic Problems for
the Fleet.

LONDON, May 14.—The formation of
a naval staff of which Admiral Sir
John Jellicoe, First Sea Lord, will
be chief, was announced in the House
of Commons today by Sir Edward
Carson, First Lord of the Admiralty.

Carson said the changes had a two-
fold object. The first was to free the
First Sea Lord and the heads of the
naval staff, as far as possible, from
administrative work in order that they
might concentrate their attention on im-
portant issues relating to the naval con-
duct of the war.

The second object, he said, was to
strengthen the shipping, building and
production departments of the Admiralty
by providing an organization compar-
able with that which supplies the army
with munitions. It was further intend-
ed to concentrate the whole ship-build-
ing organization under one authority.
Sir Eric Campbell Gedde, deputy di-
rector general or munitions supply, had
been chosen for this position. Sir Ed-
ward announced, and would be respon-
sible for fulfilling the ship-building re-
quirements of the admiralty, the war of-
fice and the ministry of shipping.

NINE GERMAN SHIPS ENTER HOOK OF HOLLAND IN A WEEK

LONDON, May 14.—According to a
Rotterdam dispatch to the Daily Mail,
nine German and one Austrian steamer
entered the Hook of Holland last week,
while six sailed. Most of the arrivals
were from Hamburg, Bremen and the
Baltic.

This is the first dispatch to indicate
an attempt by the Germans to operate
a regular steamship service outside of
the Baltic since the early days of the
war.

"The revolution thus temporarily dis-
organized the army but saved the re-
public. We are now reorganized, and
it is only a question of weeks before the
Germans again feel our might."

"America will also help us here with
materials and metals which it is more
difficult for us now to get from En-
gland. The new army will fight better
than ever if necessary; if peace does not

RUSSIAN MINISTER OF WAR AND NAVY RESIGNS HIS POST

Gen. Guchkoff, Official Who
Steps Out, Recently Said
Nation Was on Edge of
Abyss, Because of Disor-
ganized Army.

Petrograd Garrison Com-
mander Also Quits Because
of Council's Attempt to
Control Troops.

Others Have Threatened to
Leave Places Unless the
War Is Carried on With
More Vigor.

PETROGRAD, May 14.—Gen. Alex-
ander J. Guchkoff, Minister of War
and Navy, has resigned.

In announcing his resignation at yes-
terday's meeting of the Congress of
Delegates from the front, M. Guchkoff
read the following letter sent by him to
Premier Lvov:

"In view of the condition in which the
provisional Government has been placed,
especially the authority of the Minister
of War, in relation to the army and the
navy, a condition which I am powerless
to alter and which threatens to have
consequences fatal to the defense, the
liberty and even the existence of Rus-
sia, I can no longer exercise the func-
tions of Minister of War and Navy and
share responsibility for the grave sit-
uation being committed against the country."

Gen. Guchkoff, in a speech last
Thursday, referring to the disorganiza-
tion of the army, said Russia was
on the edge of an abyss and only a
strong governmental power could
save the situation. Other members
of the "Government" have threatened
to resign unless they could continue
to carry out a foreign policy in agree-
ment with Russia's allies.

Gen. Guchkoff has been a leading fig-
ure in the October party for years,
but during the war little was heard of
him until the committee for its indepen-
dence, which he has joined many ap-
peals to the troops and the workers to
support the Government and continue
the war vigorously.

Petrograd Commander Resigns.
Gen. Korniloff, commander of the
Petrograd garrison, resigned yesterday.
The General explained to an interviewer
that his resignation was due to an im-
possible position arising from the efforts
of various organizations to control the
garrison, and added:

"Well, then, let them take the respon-
sibility."

The commander decided to quit when a
demand was made Saturday by the
Executive Committee of the Council of
Soldiers and Workmen's Delegates that
all Korniloff's orders should be pre-
sented to the committee for its indepen-
dence. Gen. Korniloff will go to the
front to command one of the armies.

Gen. Korniloff was in command of the
Petrograd district at the time the im-
perial Government was overthrown and
personally placed under arrest the for-
mer Emperor.

In an order issued May 6, Gen. Kor-
niloff warned the inhabitants of Pet-
rograd that a German attack on the cap-
ital was impending by way of Libau,
and directed the reorganization of re-
serve elements in the capital without a
publication of this order, the Coun-
cil of Soldiers and Workmen's Delegates
requested the Kronstadt, Tarskoe-Selo,
Krasko-Selo, Peterhof and other gar-
risons around Petrograd, not to send
troops into the capital without a writ-
ten request from the Executive Com-
mittee.

The semi-official news agency today
gave out the following:

"The report that the Council of Work-
men's and Soldiers' Delegates has called
for an armistice is denied. The question
of an armistice has never been raised by
the council, which, on the contrary, is
engaged at present in drafting an ap-
peal to the soldiers at the front, point-
ing out the inadvisability of a separate
peace or of fraternizing with the en-
emy."

Germans Seeking Parley Rejected.
The Russian Voila says that three
German officers, a Colonel, a Captain
and a Lieutenant, recently approached
the Russian lines in the Dnieper region
with a white flag and asked for an in-
terview with the commanding General
for the purpose of opening parleys.
They were received by Gen. Dragomiroff,
to whom they made vague state-
ments about parleying with the Russian
Government.

The Germans suggested that a neutral
point be decided upon for the opening
of the negotiations. Gen. Dragomiroff
buntily rejected their proposition, declar-
ing that they intended treachery to Rus-
sia's allies, and sent the envoys back
to their own line.

Addressing a congress of delegates of
the field army, Minshvili Tsereteli,
member of the Council of Workmen's
and Soldiers' Delegates, declared that
the German and Austrian proletariat
had not yet emerged from the state of
chauvinistic intoxication into which
they had been plunged by Dr. von
Bethmann-Hollweg, the Imperial Ger-
man.

German Offensive on Russian Front Unlikely; Troops Sent to West

COPENHAGEN, May 14.—
APPARENTLY under no condition
will Germany undertake any
military operations on the
eastern frontier that might revive
the national spirit in Russia. Her-
lin is full of stories brought back
by officers and soldiers of the
peaceful conditions on the Russian
front, where no military operations
are being undertaken.

PETROGRAD, May 14.—Germany
has withdrawn 40 divisions (ap-
proximately 600,000 men) from
the Russian east front and hurled
them to France to oppose the
Franco-British offensive, according
to Petrograd newspapers.

Germany Said to Have Refused Pas-
sage to Socialist Minority Delegates.
AMSTERDAM, May 14.—The Ger-
man authorities have refused passports to
the members of the Socialist minority party
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The strike of engineers in various parts of England continues. The Amalgamated Society of Engineers is urging the men to resume work and the indications are that the strikers will return to work as early as possible at Manchester. At some important centers, such as Barrow and Kirkcaldy, the men are reported to be determined to continue the strike. A great number of the strikers are from 35 to 40 years of age, and except for exemption for special work, would be in the army. Their critics, many of whom are workmen, say the strike is merely an attempt to dodge military service by hundreds of eligibles who fear their exemption is endangered by the abolition of the social trade card system, which is their chief grievance.

The idlers are taunted by uniformed soldiers and workers in other trades. The munition girls have been particularly bitter in their comment.

British 'Tommies' Running New Communication Lines



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ONE of the most important services in war time is the establishment of communication between the trenches. This official British photograph shows a group of soldiers on the western front advancing with coils of wire to establish telephone connections with the new positions just taken.

WHEAT TRADING SUSPENDED HERE FOR TWO DAYS

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cided to discontinue all trading in May corn and oats. It was further decided that for a period of two days no purchases of wheat whatever will be permitted, except to liquidate existing contracts.

"The latter action automatically debars any individual, firm, corporation or Government from bidding up the price of wheat. The directors further restricted the operation in wheat by confining those dealers desiring to close existing contracts to a maximum price which is based on Saturday's close.

"The action of the board has been taken after consultation with the accredited representatives of the allied Governments. Likewise, every step followed by us has been in co-operation with this Government."

Resolutions by Board.

The resolutions of the directors were as follows:

"Resolved—From the opening of the market on Monday, May 14, 1917, 9:30 a. m., to the close of the market Tuesday, May 15, 1:15 p. m., members of this board shall confine the purchase price of wheat to the purchase price of the contract grades of wheat for future delivery in regular elevators to transactions for July and September delivery. No member shall make any purchases of wheat during the period stated, except in liquidating of existing contracts. Members may sell into contracts of sale without limitation, except as to price as hereafter stated. No contracts for July delivery shall be entered into at a price in excess of \$2.75 per bushel; no contracts for September shall be entered into at a price in excess of \$2.45 per bushel.

"Be it resolved, That any member trading in violation of the foregoing shall be deemed to have committed a grave offense against the name of the association."

The directors also prohibited trading in indemnities, known also as "bids and offers," and years ago more commonly as "puts and calls." This order reads as follows:

"All transactions in indemnities on May corn, May oats and all deliveries of wheat expiring today are hereby declared null and void and the buyer shall return to the seller the purchase price of the indemnities, and furthermore all trading in indemnities in wheat, until further notice, is discontinued."

Traders Bewildered.

Secretary Merrill of the board read the resolutions, knelt to the great trading hall from the visitors' gallery. It was a rather bewildered lot of traders who heard him deliver the mandates which took the props from under the routine of their business lives. He concluded with a moment before the business announced the resumption of trading.

The traders flocked into their pits and for a few moments trading exhibited its normal aspect of vociferation and activity. It was but the flash accompanying the evening-up of trades under the order, and in a few minutes practically no business was being transacted.

July wheat slumped an extreme 12 cents to \$2.63, and then reacted to \$2.70; September fell off 9 cents to \$2.37 and recovered to \$2.40. Much of the business suppressed in wheat was transferred to the corn and oats pits, where sharp advances were scored. July corn rose 7 1/2c to \$1.55; September 11c to \$1.54 1/2c. In oats July rose 5 1/2c to 73c, and September 6c to 74c.

May Corn \$1.61 1/2.

A committee fixed the settlement price of May corn at \$1.61 1/2 and May oats at 73 1/2c, the closing figures of Saturday.

Charles B. Pierce, chairman of the committee, came straight from the meeting to the big brokerage house of which he is president, walked to the blackboard, on which a score of speculators were watching quotations, and wrote:

"Patriots who are long of wheat should sell tomorrow."

The elimination of trading in futures, if made permanent, would, it is said, affect grain commission houses very gravely. Many of them are under heavy expenses, particularly for thousands of miles of leased wire, and the cessation of the trade would be a day in expenses. On the other hand, it was said in the street that the mandatory closing of certain contracts at a fixed maximum price will clear the atmosphere for some of them where the bid advance of Saturday wiped out the margins of clients who, tempted by the high price, were short of the market.

A speculator who has a reputation for cool daring showed a letter from a small Iowa banker in which the latter naively

suggested that the big man take \$500 for him and let it grow along with his own larger pile. The recipient of the letter, who has not taken a trade since war was declared, sent a scathing reply. This trader asserted that while trading in futures in ordinary times is a necessary and desirable element of crops, in the present abnormal situation speculation should be eliminated.

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CAMP SITE CHOSEN FOR SECOND ENGINEERS

Col. Townsend Will Ask for Use of New City Park South of Waterworks.

The new city park, south of the waterworks, probably will be the drill ground of the new Second Reserve Engineer Regiment, now being formed in St. Louis for immediate service in building and repairing military railroads in France.

Col. Curtis McD. Townsend, who is recruiting the new regiment and is to command it, said today that he would apply to the city for the use of the new park. Members of the regiment are to sleep in steamboats along the river front, the boats being those used in the Government river improvement work.

The members of the engineer regiment, Col. Townsend said, will be trained chiefly in military discipline and drill during the stay in camp. The manual of arms and marching will be thoroughly taught, and members will be made efficient soldiers, although their chief work is to be of a nonmilitary character.

The men will be uniformed in a manner suitable to their work, the uniforms probably including overalls, jumpers and caps. The officers will wear khaki.

Nearly 1000 applications have been received, Col. Townsend said, but there is still room for recruits, as some of those who have applied will probably fail in the physical examination. The regiment is to have 1000 men and 30 officers, and is in progress at room 428 Federal Building, and railroad men of all branches of service are wanted.

A second list of civil engineers who will be sent to Fort Riley for training as commanding officers in the engineering branch of the service, but not necessarily in connection with Col. Townsend's command of railroad men, was given out today by Maj. Willing. The candidates for commissions are:

Captain—Perry Topping, 6708 Berlin avenue, St. Louis.

First Lieutenants—Lincoln C. Dodge, 1062 Railway Exchange Building; George K. Mittenberger, Ferguson; George P. Burgess, 4208 McPherson avenue; Walter C. Harting, 4240 West Florissant avenue.

Second Lieutenants—William Douglas Jackson, 629 Washington boulevard; Robert S. Watson, 301 Clara avenue; Richard S. Hood, 309 North Broadway; Milard L. Hamaker, Marquette Hotel; Luke S. Stites, Kirkwood.

"Plenty of Grain in U. S."

"There is plenty of grain in the country to carry us through," said Griffin. "If it were not for this hysteria, this senseless panic, we could save America and the allied Governments—the whole world—there would be no such prices paid for wheat. There is plenty of wheat if it could be distributed with calm, clear thought and without excitement. There is too much wild advice by amateurs who know nothing about grain or production."

Kansas City Board of Trade Suspends Trading Temporarily.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 14.—Directors of the Kansas City Board of Trade voted today to take action in suspending trading temporarily similar to that of the Chicago grain exchange.

Settlements at Saturday Prices.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 14.—The directors of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce this afternoon decided to suspend trading in futures until further notice. Open trades will be settled at prices which obtained at Saturday's close.

CANADIAN WHEAT CROP SHORT

OTTAWA, May 14.—A serious shortage in the winter wheat crop of Canada is revealed by a report of the census and statistics office made public today. The acreage estimated to have been sown last fall was 813,400, and the estimated destruction through winter killing was 187,000 acres, or 23 per cent, leaving 626,400 acres to be harvested.

The estimated condition of the crop April 30 was 69 per cent, which is lower than in any previous year since 1900 at that date.

FORMER U. S. ARMY SERGEANT IS CONVICTED OF DISLOYALTY

Sentenced to Two Years in Prison and Loss of Honorific Discharge for 30 Years Service.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 14.—Fredrick T. Reidt, for 30 years a member of the United States army, and honorably discharged with the rank of Sergeant, Friday was sentenced to two years in the Federal Penitentiary at Leavenworth after conviction by military court of having made statements disloyal to the country and derogatory to President Wilson.

Reidt also was declared dishonorably discharged and his monthly pension of \$60 was declared forfeited.

A "Wanted to Buy" ad may bring it if it appears in the Post-Dispatch Want Columns.

HOLWEG CONFERS WITH EMPEROR CHARLES

Talk With Austrian Foreign Minister in Vienna May Be Continued in Berlin.

CHANCELLOR ATTACKED

Recent Events, However, Seem to Strengthen His Position; Coming Declarations.

LONDON, May 14.—Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German Chancellor, is back in Berlin, after having had luncheon yesterday with Emperor Charles and Empress Zita at Vienna, and having dined with Count Cernin, the Foreign Minister. A Vienna dispatch says the discussion which the Chancellor started with Count Cernin soon will be continued in Berlin.

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Hollweg Credited With Saying His Under World Elevate Berntorff.

COPENHAGEN, May 14.—The latest direct advices received here from Berlin confirm the impression that a vigorous campaign is being waged to bring about the downfall of Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the Imperial Chancellor.

The movement has shown such strength that there was much speculation. The news of the Chancellor's trip to headquarters became known Friday, whether he would return as Chancellor or as a private individual.

The friends of Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, however, were absolutely sure that the Chancellor will be continued in full confidence of the Emperor, notwithstanding the efforts of pan-Germans and Conservatives to harass him on the question of electoral reforms, and particularly on his failure to express a strong opinion on the proposal of the Reichstag constitutional committee to change the method of the appointment of army and navy officers, on the ground that it was undermining the throne and endangering the Hohenzollern dynasty.

Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg did not take the movement against him altogether lightly and was credited with the remark that, if his opponents drove him out, they would only put Count von Bernstorff in his place.

Zimmermann's Position Shaky.

The position of Dr. Alfred Zimmermann, Vice Chancellor and Foreign Secretary, is described also as shaky, the Mexican affair having undermined the confidence of the Reichstag and of his personal friends in his qualifications for the post of Chancellor. But it is difficult to judge the amount of truth behind this report and that of Count von Bernstorff's candidacy.

The pan-German Hamburger Nachrichten, discussing rumors concerning Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, says the Bernstorffs expected the Chancellor to return from headquarters, not only with a renewed expression of the Emperor's confidence, but with some tangible extraordinary proof of his apparent new strength.

The Chancellor himself evidently is determined to persist in his policy of putting off till the morrow a statement of his policy on the question of internal reforms and the definition of Germany's peace aims and apparently will be able to continue this policy.

Additional Representations.

The immediate result of reforms by the Kaiser, however, is giving some slight additional representation to a number of the great urban industrial Reichstag districts, which under Germany's economic development in the last 40 years have developed populations 10 to 15 times greater than are specified in the Constitution as the unit of representation.

Hollweg Said to Have Prevented Nullification of Reform Plans by Kaiser.

THE HAGUE, May 14.—The annexationist press of Berlin suggests that the Chancellor made his recent trip to army headquarters to offer his resignation, in view of his impossible position between the batteries of the conservative and Socialists. The Tagblatt says that if anything of the sort happened the resignation was not accepted.

According to the story current in Reichstag circles, what happened was that the Kaiser, Junkers and militarists were alarmed by the radically democratic recommendations of the Reichstag Committee on Constitutional Reforms, Hindenburg being especially infuriated by the proposals to give the army and navy. Hence the Kaiser proposed to nullify all the committee's proposals by closing the session of the Reichstag instead of merely adjourning the House. This would mean that all the committee work of the House would have to be done over in a new session, and thus the reactionaries would gain six months.

Marshall Field in Real Person

"He'll Do." Verdict of Fellow Members in Illinois Cavalry.

CHICAGO, May 14.—Marshall Field III has been accepted by his fellow members of the headquarters of the First Illinois cavalry. "He'll do" is their verdict. Although he is one of the richest young men in America the general verdict is he is a "Trooper." Field's popularity is due to his democracy. Because of his horsemanship he has been made an instructor at the North Side Armory.

Recluse Found Dead, \$12,000 Neat.

HERMANN, Mo., May 14.—The body of Otto Voigt, 78 years old, a recluse, was found Saturday in his lonely hut on his farm near here. His throat had been cut. United States bonds to the amount of \$7000 and \$5000 in gold and silver were found piled in boxes on the bed beside the body. A coroner's jury returned a verdict of suicide.

FULL PERSONNEL OF ST. LOUIS BASE HOSPITAL CHOSEN

Washington University Unit, Known as No. 21 Has 28 Officers, 141 Men, 65 Nurses.

RECRUITING IS CLOSED

Miss Julia C. Stimson Is Chief Nurse and Dr. F. T. Murphy Has Major's Commission.

Announcement was made today of the personnel of Base Hospital Unit No. 21, known as the Washington University unit, which is mobilized and is awaiting orders for service in France. Recruiting for this unit has closed.

The unit has 28 officers, 141 enlisted men and 65 nurses. Dr. Fred T. Murphy, who is director of the medical and surgical staff, with the rank of Major, has had experience in hospital work in France during the present war. Three of the other officers of the staff, Dr. M. B. Cioption, Nathaniel Allison and Warren R. Rainey, the latter of East St. Louis, have also had similar experience.

Dean Carroll M. Davis, chaplain of the unit, is one of the best known clergymen of the Episcopal church, and was one of the secretaries of the general convention of the church, held here last fall. He has been dean of Christ Church Cathedral 18 years.

Another minister enrolled in the unit is the Rev. E. C. Vooranger, who lately resigned the position of associate rabbi of Temple Shaare Emeth. He said today that he had been offered a position by the Government in welfare work, paying a comfortable salary, but that he decided to go with the hospital unit as a private at \$21 a month. He disbelieves in war, but considers it consistent with his views to engage in hospital work.

Miss Stimson Chief Nurse.

Miss Julia Stimson, chief nurse, is the daughter of Dr. Rufus H. Henry, A. Stimson, former pastor of Pilgrim Congregational Church, who lately resigned the pastorate of Manhattan Congregational Church, New York. She has lived in St. Louis for several years, and has done social service work in connection with Pilgrim Church.

The full personnel of members of the unit, announced by Dr. Murphy today, is as follows:

United States Army detail: Maj. James D. Pife, Commanding; Capt. Thomas C. Austin, Adjutant; Capt. G. S. Koppke, Quartermaster.

Medical and Surgical Staff: Maj. Fred T. Murphy, Director; Maj. Walter Fischel, Assistant Director in charge of Medical Service; Maj. Malvern B. Cioption, Assistant Director in charge of Surgical Service; Capt. Nathaniel Allison, Adjutant; Capt. Borden S. Veeder, Quartermaster; Capt. Eugene L. Ople, Assistant Director in charge of Laboratory Service; Capt. Sidney I. Schwab, Capt. Lawrence T. Post, Capt. Hugh McCulloch, Capt. Warren B. Ray, Capt. Meredith H. Johnston, Capt. Charles H. Eyermann, Lieut. Howard H. Bell, Lieut. Alan M. Chesney, Lieut. Edwin C. Ernst, Lieut. Roland F. Fischer, Lieut. Levi H. Fuson, Lieut. Allan A. Gilbert, Lieut. Joseph B. Larimore, Lieut. Arthur W. Frost, Lieut. Fredrick B. Abbott, Lieut. Philip P. Green, Lieut. James A. Brown, Lieut. Reginald S. Murdock, Chaplain, Dean Carroll M. Davis of Christ Church Cathedral.

List of Nurses.

The nurses of the unit are as follows: Julia C. Stimson, chief nurse; Mae Auerbach, Lulu G. Bender, Byrd Beehringer, Nellie O. Boothby.

Harriet Carrafe, Estella D. Claiborne, Flora Cleland, Ruth Cobb, Jessie Collins, Esther A. Coustey, Constance A. Cuppidge.

Freda M. Damm, Edith Dangelberg, Margaret W. Davison, Anna M. Deuser, Louise C. Dierston.

Joyce Ely.

Lena A. Fabick, Geneva Farmer, May D. File, Hazel Flint.

Mrs. Olive H. George.

Emma Habenicht, Mrs. Sadie Haussman, Nellie Heinemann, Mary E. Hill, Louise Hilligoss, Eunice Holmes.

Ruby Idle.

Marie M. Jark.

Marie Kammerer, Florence E. Kiefer, Louise Kieninger, Flora Kober, Olga Krieger, Nell Kuhn.

Bertha Leve, and Mrs. F. McCulloch, Ruth Morton Anastasia Mosler, Katherine Murphy.

Myrtle Nash.

Cordelia Ranz, Olga M. Reed, Laura Rider, Florence B. Russell.

Martha Sander, Dolly Scmidt, Minnie Scott, Olive Serafini, Nina Shelton, Ethyl Smiley, Mrs. Marion A. Spies.

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Mary E. Stebbins, Mary E. Stephenson, Hattie M. Swift.

Mance Taylor, Genevieve Tolraut, Rachel Watkins, Mary Wease, Anna Westman and Olive Wilcox.

Roll of Enlisted Men.

The roll of enlisted men follows: John S. Allen, H. A. Alvis, John G. Anderson.

Horace Barker, Bert C. Ball, E. O. Pammann, Jas. C. Barnard, B. P. Benson, Clifford J. Bindner, G. H. Bisplinghoff, H. J. Bisplinghoff, A. E. Blencowe, Glenn Brasel, David W. Brock, J. Victor Bromberg, Harry Brown, Percy H. Byrns.

F. L. Capps, J. F. Carr Jr., Holland F. Chalfant, Robert H. Clausius, Philip Conrath, Edw. J. Coogan, P. E. Corrubis, Bernard L. Cottam, Melvin Croissant.

E. F. Dalsin, Jones S. Davis, George L. Delany, F. M. Depke, G. V. Dillman, James R. Drummond, J. F. Dunsky, Charles E. Duffy, Thomas C. Dunville, Edwin Eaton, William E. Engel, H. L. Ervatt.

M. J. Fardy, C. J. Fox, George W. Freiberg.

Wm. P. Gasser, L. P. Gay, J. C. Graham, Paul Graham.

M. C. Hamilton, Edgar Harvey, Howard P. Harding, Robert P. Hacker, W. C. Hencke, J. V. Hettich, John S. Higgins, Clayton A. Hightower, Walter F. Hoban.

Charles H. Jablonsky, Justin J. Jackson, Charles D. Jarrett, Fred C. John, Alonzo T. Kelly, Francis P. Kendall, Gordon Kimbrel, Frank Knecht, Richard J. Knox, Clarence W. Koch, Charles W. Koch, George W. Kolk.

Jesse M. Laster, Thomas M. Lodge, Henry P. Lucking.

S. J. Magidson, L. C. Martin, Ernest J. Massard, Edw. D. McCuddy, Timothy McGrath, Ernest H. McInvaline, J. W. McKee Jr., Dell E. McKinney, Willard McQuoid, Owen H. Moffort, Arthur E. Melville, Alvin Mercer, Joseph N. Meyer, David L. Millar, Carl P. Miller, W. Leland Mitchell, Robert E. Moore, Robert H. Moran, Hugo Muench Jr., E. B. Mullins.

Horace Neely, T. B. Noble, A. K. Nushan.

T. F. O'Hanlon, Charles D. O'Keefe.

E. C. Padgett, R. E. Parsons, Frank H. Pitt, William H. Pleueger, George M. Polk, Harold E. Pope, Harold Purcell.

George Quaid, H. Reeves, Paul E. Roy Reinhold, R. J. B. Richter, Robert P. Ricks, Thomas B. Riste, John A. Robinson, William B. Rogers.

Charles E. St. Clair, Arthur E. Schmalz, Clarence W. Schuster, William F. Schmitt, Joseph W. Severy, A. M. Shear, E. B. Shea, Thomas L. Shedy, H. T. Simpson, J. V. Silverberg, James B. Simpson, Claire B. Smith, Hoyle H. Smith, William C. Stack, W. W. Steele, H. Y. Stormont.

L. C. Taylor, Glen W. Teal, Calvin G. Tilton, C. V. Tobias, J. P. Townsend, I. Trickey.

E. C. Vooranger.

C. E. Wallis, Omar Warren, P. K. Webb, F. E. Wendelburg, W. L. White, S. H. Williams, Sanford Withers, Wm. W. Wright.

What the soldiers of Montreal, of Canada, have accomplished will always be appreciated in France," said the Marshal. "The soldiers of Canada are courageous. They despise death and their bravery reaches the level of the bravery of the French troops."

After the civic function, Marshal Joffre reviewed about 600 troops and later stopped at McGill University campus to visit returned soldiers, many of them badly wounded, who had fought in France. The State reception to Marshal Joffre was in the form of a luncheon attended by about 100 representative men.

Will Finish Conferences on War and Depart in Few Days for Home.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—The French mission returned to the capital today after its 10-day tour of the Middle West, the East and a brief visit of some of its members to Canada. The distinguished Frenchmen returned to finish their work of arranging practical co-operation between the United States and France, deeply touched by the receptions they received everywhere they visited. After a few days more of conferences here the party will sail for France.

M. Viviani's party and Marshal Joffre's delegation traveling on two special trains, met in Baltimore early today and were cheered by enthusiastic crowds. The visitors were met by Mayor Preston, Henry White, former Ambassador to France, and State and city officials. Near the site of the Washington monument M. Viviani and Marshal Joffre turned the first spadeful of earth for the erection of a statue of Lafayette.

Of the two, the venerable Marshal of France appeared to have been less flattered by the strenuous activities which carried them to 11 principal cities and in which it is estimated more than 5,000,000 persons participated.

A feature of the visit to Baltimore was the appearance of Cardinal Gibbons at an upper window of his home as the noted Frenchmen passed in their automobiles, escorted by troops of cavalry and the Fifth Maryland Regiment, recently returned from the Mexican border. The Cardinal waved to M. Viviani and the latter rose in his seats and doffed their hats to him.

Marshal Joffre received a remarkable welcome in Montreal on a five-hour visit to the Canadian city yesterday. He reached Montreal at 11 o'clock and after a brief reception at the station the parade started through streets flagged with union jacks, the French tricolor and the stars and stripes, to Fletcher's Field, where the Marshal spoke briefly.

Discovery Made by an Aged Woman

Mrs. Johns, 73 Years Old, Now Says Tanlac Made Her Feel Thirty Years Younger.

"I feel more like a girl today than I have for thirty years," Mrs. Elizabeth Johns, 73 years old, 518 North Twenty-third street, when I was told the Tanlac Man on May 10.

Mrs. Johns has lived on the East Side many years. She is known by hundreds and her word carries great weight. Continuing she said:

"For years I never had a very bad stomach which has caused me great suffering and loss of rest. I have tried dozens of different treatments without being benefited and have spent thousands of dollars for medicines. I never gained anything but a slight temporary relief until I tried Tanlac. At times I was very nervous. Then again, it seemed that I wanted to sleep all the time."

I read about Tanlac in the daily papers; friends also told me about the results the medicine was accomplishing. Now I have taken almost three bottles of Tanlac, and can honestly and truthfully say that I have felt more like a girl today than I have in thirty years. You see I am quite an old lady—past seventy-three—but, in spite of my age, I want to work all the time now. Best of all, the work is agreeing with me. I sleep well at night, and can walk for hours. The stomach trouble has been greatly relieved and the pains in my back have disappeared. It certainly is divine to have my stomach feeling so much better."

"Tanlac has done me so much good in many ways, and I feel that I've made a wonderful discovery."

Tanlac, the tonic extraordinary, can truthfully be termed the old person's friend. Its mild action is especially good for persons of advanced age, whose constitutions have been weakened by time. Tanlac goes quickly to the seat of the trouble, rebuilding worn tissues, expelling impurities from the system, re-establishing the blood, creating a healthy appetite, promoting peaceful sleep and giving much needed strength.

Tanlac, the Master Medicine, that proved such a boon to Mrs. Johns, is now being introduced and explained to the public of St. Louis by an expert at the Seventh and St. Charles streets store of the Johnson-Kendall-Panley Drug Co. It also may be obtained at the eight other stores of this firm, the Wolf-Wilson Drug Co., Sixth and Washington; Keltner Drug Co., Broadway and Franklin; Muller's five drug stores; Victor Drug Co. and Goode's drug stores, Wellington. Tanlac also is being explained by experts in East St. Louis at Keltner's drug stores; Belleville, Ratz drug store; Alton, Laly Drug Co.; Wyan Drug Co.; and Barth's Pharmacy—ADVERTISING.

DISCOVERY MADE BY AN AGED WOMAN

President's War Message Hung on German Trench Wire

French Polls Creep Across No Man's Land With Hundreds of Copies

PARIS, May 14.—Crawling across No Man's Land, a party of French troops worked its way a night or two ago up to the barbed wire in front of the German trenches and hung hundreds of copies of President Wilson's address to Congress, printed in the German, on the stakes and along the wire.

The French infantryman had obtained several bundles of the leaflets from the French escadrille stationed near Guastres. The men were creeping trip to the enemy trenches despite occasional star shells which illuminated the space between the opposing trench lines, and without rattling the warning tin cans which both sides place on the stakes and wires to signal the approach of a foe.

At daybreak when Germans saw the leaflets they commenced firing at them. The French hoisted signs over their trenches saying: "We won't fire while you collect the messages." Thereupon the Germans came over the parapet and collected the leaflets.

BRAZIL TO SEND MISSION TO U. S.

Reported That Advocates of War With Germany Will Be Its Head.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, May 14.—It is reported by the newspapers here that President Bras has appointed Dr. Ruy Barbosa, Ambassador to Argentina, and an advocate of war between Brazil and Germany, to head a special embassy to visit the United States.

It is understood that information is being sought by the Brazilian Minister of War regarding the possibility of eventually obtaining arms and ammunition from a great industrial Power. Brazilians are led to believe that the effectiveness of the Brazilian army are about to be increased in number.

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Took Office in 1915.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 14.—Gov. Charles Henderson is winning fame from former Executive Emmet O'Neal the title of "Pardon Governor." To date Henderson's record is pardons or paroles for 96 convicted men, during which period the Pardon Board has recommended only 127 pardons and paroles.

The most striking part of the record is that murder, burglary, violating the prohibition laws, assault with intent to murder and forgery are the crimes for which the greater majority of subjects received executive clemency.

The Legislature of Alabama, some years ago, created a Pardon Board, which was to submit its recommendations to the Governor, after reviewing the evidence. It is composed of the Attorney General, Secretary of State and the Auditor. Since it assumed its duties under Henderson's administration the Pardon Board has advised in 127 cases that the petitioners were fit subjects for clemency.

In a number of these cases the Governor has not followed the board's recommendations, but has been the sole judge in the greater majority of the petitions for paroles and pardons. In more than 350 cases he has exercised clemency without advice of the board. Some of the Jefferson County citizens

have fared well. E. N. Gibson has been paroled five times for violations of the prohibition laws. Dave Coplan has been paroled four times. He was arrested on a charge of receiving stolen property. The records of pardon, for the principal offenses, follow:

	1915.	1916.	1917.	Total.
Murder.....	58	22	6	86
Violating prohibition laws.....	49	22	21	92
Assault to murder.....	19	5	4	28
Grand larceny.....	22	12	6	40
Manslaughter.....	17	12	8	37
Forgery.....	12	7	4	23
Burglary.....	13	10	1	24
Vagrancy.....	20	2	5	27

The recommendations of the Board of Pardons up until Jan. 1, 1917, were: 21 for murder, 19 manslaughter, 12 forgery, 10 assault to murder, seven for burglary and nine for grand larceny.

SUES WALDORF ASTOR'S SON FOR \$145,000 AS PENALTIES

Briton Charges Member of Commons
With Law Violation in Making
Advertising Contracts.

LONDON, May 14.—Maj. Waldorf Astor, member of the House of Commons and son of Baron Astor, is defendant in an action for \$145,000 brought by Charles Trahan.

This amount is claimed in penalties, at the rate of \$500 daily, for each occasion on which Maj. Astor sat in the House of Commons while, as proprietor of the Sunday Observer, he executed contracts to insert in that newspaper Government advertisements.

Under an act of George III, a member of Parliament who accepts payment for Government contracts must vacate his seat.

Manual of Arms in Use in the United States Army



Man Injured by Taylor Car.
Alessio Tonella, 45 years old, of 4423 Gibson avenue, was struck by a Taylor car last evening and was taken to Barnes Hospital with his nose and two ribs fractured.

Potatoes Meats Proposed.
MILWAUKEE, May 14.—The Wisconsin Hotel Men's Association today is sending letters to its members urging the elimination of potatoes from

their menus for the remainder of May and for June. Members of the Milwaukee Hotelmen's Association agreed to refrain from serving potatoes all next week.

Are pets your hobby? Animal, bird and poultry fanciers published more want ads in the Post-Dispatch last year than were printed in the four other St. Louis newspapers combined.

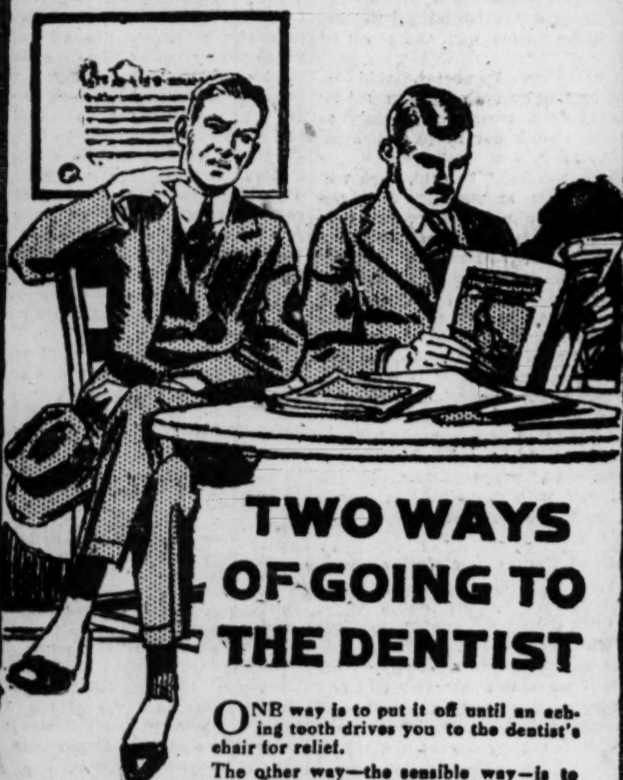


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in the Federal Reserve Banking System we are placed in a stronger position than ever before to take care of the requirements of all our depositors, whether large or small, whether they keep checking or savings accounts; and at the same time to give them the most modern banking service.

Why not open an account with us and begin at once to participate in these benefits and the additional protection which this system gives to your money deposited with us?

ST. LOUIS UNION BANK
Capital and Surplus, \$5,000,000.00
Fourth and Locust



TWO WAYS OF GOING TO THE DENTIST

ONE way is to put it off until an aching tooth drives you to the dentist's chair for relief.

The other way—the sensible way—is to go to your dentist often enough and regularly enough so that he can fill the cavities while they are small, before the tooth is badly injured, and, so prevent toothache.

After your dentist has put your mouth in order, ask him how to keep it right. Ask his advice about dentifrices. Ask him also about The S. S. White Dental Manufacturing Company, which for 72 years has set the standard of quality for every variety of dental equipment and supplies.

S. S. White Tooth Paste is a pure, wholesome, non-medicated cleanser embodying the latest findings of dental science. It is as delightful to use as it is efficient. Its flavor is a delicious, pungent blend of choice essential oils.

Your druggist has it. Sign and mail the coupon below for a copy of our booklet "Good Teeth; How They Grow And How To Keep Them."

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Sprinkle Kitchen Klenzer around the sink and you'll have no trouble with insects of any kind. Keeps everything clean and germ-proof.

KITCHEN KLENZER
Hurts Only Dirt



AUTO MANUFACTURER OPPOSES TAX ON SALES

Maxwell President Says Graduated
Levy on Profits Would
Be More Equitable.

DETROIT, May 14.—Commenting on the proposed special war tax of 5 per cent on the sale of all automobiles, Walter E. Flanders, president of the Maxwell Motor Co., Inc., said today:

"The automobile manufacturers of the country are ready and willing to bear their full share of the war tax burdens, but we believe that these burdens should be apportioned so as to work a minimum of hardship on the manufacturer, while, at the same time, producing a maximum of revenue for the Government."

"We do not believe the 5 per cent sale tax, applicable to automobiles alone, will accomplish this result."

Favors Tax on Profits.
"Sound policy for the Government, as we see it, is to apply to all industrial organizations—automobile makers and others alike—a graduated tax on profits. The system provided for in taxing the incomes of individuals is a sound, businesslike system to apply to industrial taxation."

"This would not hamper business, but would allow it freedom to operate and expand, the Government taking its fair and just portion of whatever profits were earned."

"By this method the heaviest burdens would be borne by the strongest and lighter burdens by the weaker. But all industry would be left unrestricted in its work of earning income for the Government to participate in. Thus the Government would obtain a much greater revenue than by imposing heavy direct and special taxes on any one industry, however large and flourishing that industry might be. And the automobile industry, while it has taken gigantic strides, is still, comparatively speaking, a new industry, with many big problems yet to be solved."

"We welcome, therefore, the graduated profits tax, applicable to all industries alike, but we fear the proposed special tax of 5 per cent on motor-car sales not only will curtail the automobile industry, but also will defeat the Government's aim—the raising of as great a fund as possible to prosecute this war successfully, an object in which we all have a deep and vital interest."

Will Affect Other Lines.
"In fact, curtailment of the automobile industry will adversely affect bankers and business men the country over. All over the United States, in hundreds of cities and towns, are thousands of dealers with capital invested in automobile distribution. These have their thousands of employees."

"No city or town, however remote from the scene of automobile manufacture, can escape the ill effects if the motor-car industry is crippled."

At Busy Bee Bake Shops This Week.
Large Strawberry Shortcake, 25 cents.

PLANS FOR MILITARY HIGHWAY

Federal Inspector Will Go Over
Ozark Trails Routes.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., May 14.—It has been decided that a representative of the Federal Government will accompany the inspectors when the Ozark Trails are officially viewed early in June.

The purpose of this inspection by the Government is to decide if the winning road is suitable for a military highway. If so, at the most convenient point on the trail two roads will be projected to the Mexican border and rushed to completion without delay.

See "Business Cards" in the Wants for clean-up and paint-up help.

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Kline's

606-608 Washington Ave., Thru to Sixth

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~~\$17.50~~ ~~\$20.00~~ ~~\$22.50~~ **COATS** ~~\$10.00~~ Tuesday While They Last



The Greatest Values We Have Offered This Season

JUST exactly 312 stunning, striking, supreme styles—secured through special purchases at a mere fraction of their genuine value. Beautiful garments, abundant with the latest style touches and bountiful in variety of materials, colorings and designs.

Not a single one worth a penny less than \$17.50—many easily worth \$20.00—and some are cer-

tainly the regular \$22.50 kind. A truly wonderful opportunity. The materials are—

Every Sale Final

Owing to the extremely low price, every sale must be final. No exchanges, refunds or credits—no C. O. D. orders accepted. Beyond all question, these are truly the greatest Coat values we have offered this season.

Poiret Twill Wool Velour
Gabardine Burella Cloth

as well as some Wool Jersey Coats in sport colors. The assortment includes all the newest spring shades and plenty of the wanted navy blue—in every size for both women and misses.

**If Real Bargains Are What You Are Looking for
Do Not Miss This Glorious Opportunity.**

Demonstrating Our Underselling Ability

Proving beyond question that this establishment is supreme in the field of value-giving—every item is offered at a great saving—"No Economies for Tuesday?" you ask—our answer is that every item offered during the Underselling campaign is a rare economy item. No mail or phone orders.

Sale Extraordinary of

Silk Suits

\$19.50



SMART new styles in beautiful Silk Suits of taffeta, gros de Londres, satin, Milanese silk, khaki kool, India silk and various combinations of Georgette and silk—all desirable colors of the season, including black and white. Women will be quick to appreciate this remarkable bargain offering.

(Third Floor.)

New Tub Suits \$7.95

Special for Tuesday at

THESE are of canvas, etamine and khaki cotton, in natural shades and high colors. Several models from which to make selection. Some trimmed with white combination collar and cuffs. Sizes 34 to 42.

(Third Floor.)

Princess Slips, CHILDREN'S 39c
Cambric Princess Slips, trimmed with lace edge and beading top. Bottom finished with lawn ruffle, trimmed with lace edge and insertion. Sizes 2 to 10 years.

(Second Floor.)

Untrimmed Hats 1.00
WHITE, black and colored. Hats, in all the best shapes of the season. Good quality straw.

(Third Floor.)

Moire Ribbons, Yd. 15c
EVERY wanted color, also white and black. Very high luster, pure silk, at less than maker's cost.

(Main Floor.)

Marvel Linon, Yard, A MATERIAL 12½c
which looks like real linen—comes in white, 34 inches wide—10 yards to a buyer.

(Second Floor.)

Extra—A. B. C. Silk 39c
THE genuine A. B. C. Silk—a well-known silk-and-lisle fabric which has the appearance of being all silk.

(Second Floor.)

Bedspreads, Special, FINE White \$2.50
Satin Mar-seilles Bedspreads in beautiful patterns, scalloped and with cut corners. Size 90x100 inches. One to a customer.

(Second Floor.)



Silk Skirts

Special Tuesday \$3.50

Women's splendid quality skirts, made of plain striped and plaid silks, in the most desired models, shirred and plaited.

(Third Floor.)

Guest Towels, Each 12c
HUCK Guest Towels, stamped in designs for cross-stitch, French knot or solid embroidery, finished with scalloped or hemstitched edges.

(Second Floor.)

Stamped Pillowcases, Pr. 29c
TUBING Pillowcases, size 36x45 inches—also a few of good quality muslin. All are stamped in designs for French or eyelet embroidery.

(Second Floor.)

Scalloped Tablecloths 3.95
MADE of fine linen satin damask, in several pretty patterns. Cloths measure 72 inches in diameter. Just one to a customer.

(Second Floor.)

Pongee Suitings, Yd. 1.75
HEAVY all-silk oyster-white Pongee, 40 inches wide. The most popular silk today for suits and skirts.

(Second Floor.)

New Sport Fabrics, Yd. 19c
WHITE or tan ground, with new fancy printed sport patterns in colorings which are beautiful. All 36 inches wide.

(Square 19—Main Floor.)

Fancy Bath Towels 25c
MADE of fine bleached Terry cloth, with colored satin-striped borders. Large size.

(Second Floor.)

Sport Fabrics, Yard 50c
SILK-AND-LISLE Fabrics; tan and pongee grounds, with the newest designs and most beautiful colorings. 36 inch.

(Second Floor.)

Fancy Printed Voiles 10c
ANOTHER lot of these beautiful Voiles, which are shown in white ground with neat floral effects, dots, stripes and figures. All 36 in. wide.

(Second Floor.)

New Wash Skirts, WOMEN'S 1.69
Misses' Skirts, carefully made and perfect fitting; in four different styles; made of gabardine and fancy pique, with pockets, belts and button trimming. All sizes.

(Square 5—Main Floor.)

Jap Silk Kimonos 5
GOOD quality silk has been used in making these Kimonos—all are silk embroidered in various floral designs, and shown in pink, old rose and lavender only.

(Second Floor.)

Sateen Petticoats 69c
WHITE Sateen Petticoats, with hemstitched ruffles, double panel front. All sizes at Tuesday's very special sale price.

(Second Floor.)

Talcum Powder, Box, 9c
WILLIAMS' Talcum Powder; violet, rose, lilac or carnation odor. Limit of two boxes to a buyer.

(Main Floor.)

Witch Hazel Soap 5c
MUNYON'S Witch Hazel Soap. Limit of 3 cakes to customer.

(Main Floor.)

Boy Scout Canteens 89c
ONE-QUART size, equipped with cover and shoulder sling strap.

(Second Floor Annex.)

Tennis Balls, Each, 30c
"CHAMPION-SHIP" Tennis Balls, 1917 stock, conform to the specifications of the National Association.

(Second Floor Annex.)

Bracelet Watches 4.45
SMALL size jeweled Bracelet Watches, in gold-filled cases with detachable bracelet.

(Main Floor.)

Men's Belt Buckles 55c
HAND-ENGRAVED, satin striped and other novelty designs; guaranteed quality.

(Main Floor.)

Coats' Spool Cotton 2c
J. & P. COATS' "Chain" brand Spool Cotton, in white—numbers 40 to 80. Limit of one dozen spools to a buyer.

(Main Floor.)

Envelope-Chemise 1.50
JAP satin, in tailored style, with hemstitching in pointed effect. Flesh color only. A very special value.

(Second Floor.)

Silk Plaited Hose, 45c
WOMEN'S Silk-Plaited Stockings, with double heels and toes, lisle thread tops, offered at a big saving Tuesday.

(Main Floor.)

Children's Socks, 19c
SHOWN in white with fancy tops. A good assortment for selection.

(Main Floor.)

Camisoles—Very Special 69c
THE much-wanted Satin and Crepe de Chine Camisoles, in flesh color, trimmed with wide bands of lace insertion and edge.

(Second Floor.)

Children's Drawers, 19c
MUSLIN, with embroidery ruffle cluster tucks. Reinforced sides, worked buttonholes. Sizes 2 to 10 years.

(Second Floor.)

Infants' Dresses, 35c
LONG and Short Dresses, or nain-sook; yoke of embroidery insertion and tucks; lace-edge neck and sleeves. Sizes 6 months to 2 years.

(Second Floor.)

Men's Pajamas 79c
FINE quality Madras and Percale Pajamas, in plain colors or stripes, trimmed with silk frogs.

(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Silk Four-in-Hands 35c
A LOT of beautiful Silk Four-in-Hand Ties, made from sample lengths of plain reps, in light and dark figures or stripes. Big variety for selection.

(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Tuesday's Underselling in the Downstairs Store

Tub Silk Remnants 10c
SHORT lengths from the Manhattan Shirt Co., in many attractive satin-stripe patterns and beautiful colorings.

Fairy Soap, 5 Cakes 15c
THIS popular Bath and Toilet Soap with a limit of five cakes to a customer.

New Wash Dresses 3.95
MADE of gingham, plaid voile, rice cloth and flowered voiles, in sport effects and many other styles. All sizes for women and misses.

Girls' Dresses, 3 for 1.00
MADE of chambray and gingham combination, and lawn, variously trimmed, and in stripe and plaid patterns. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Very special.

Silk Taffeta Coats 7.95
A LIMITED quantity of women's and misses' Taffeta Coats—all 48 inches long, belted style, large collars and pockets.

House Dresses at 39c
MADE of gingham and percale, in checks and stripes. Sizes 38 to 46.

Table Damask, Yard, 50c
HEAVY, bleached Union Linen Table Damask; five designs and 60 inches wide.

Tablecloths, Each, 69c
FIVE HUNDRED Tablecloths, hemstitched, handdrawn two and three rows and corner openwork, in several designs. Size 54x54 inches.

Unframed Pictures 39c
IMPORTED facsimiles of paintings, in gray and black tones. Sizes up to 15x20 inches.

(Sixth Floor.)

Pillow Tubing, Yard, 15c
BLEACHED, extra heavy, seamless Pillowcase Tubing, made by the Pequot Mills. All 36 in. wide.

Val. Laces, Yard, 3½c
EDGES and Insertions, in matched sets, and a splendid assortment of weaves and meshes.

Cretonne Sets, at 1.39
TWO HUNDRED beautiful Cretonne Sets, in various color combinations and neatly finished with fancy edges. These draperies are complete, with valance attached, and are ready to hang.

Ginghams, Yard, 12½c
A MOSKEAG Zephyr Dress Gingham, plaid and striped effects, and 32 inches wide.

Longcloth, 10 Yards, 75c
SOFT-FINISHED, bleached Longcloth, 30 inches wide, in bolts of 10 yards each.

Axminster Rugs 1.19
TWO HUNDRED Axminster Rugs, in beautiful floral designs and in size 22½x36 inches.

Congoleum Rugs, 4.79
ONE-PIECE Congoleum Art Rugs; very pretty designs and in size 9 ft. by 10 ft. 6 in. Slightly imperfect.

Sheetings, Yard, 32½c
EXTRA heavy, bleached and unbleached Sheetings, which are better than Pepperells. 2½ yards wide.

Waist Aprons 15c
OF light percale and gingham, made with pockets. Very special value at the price.

(Main Floor.)

Khaki Knickers, 42c
BOYS' Khaki Knickers, in medium and dark tans. Thoroughly well made, reinforced seams, belt loops, watch and hip pockets. Sizes 6 to 18 years.

(Second Floor Annex.)

Doeskin Gloves, Pair, 1.25
WOMEN'S White Doeskin Gloves, pique sewn seams and Paris point back. Warranted washable.

(Main Floor.)

Novelty Stockings 1.65
WOMEN'S Silk Stockings, with embroidered novelty clocks—black or colors. Reinforced heels and toes.

(Main Floor.)

Imported Jap Kimonos 1.00
THESE Kimonos are all beautifully embroidered in various floral designs, and all are fast colors, and an exceptional value.

(Sixth St. Highway—Main Fl.)

Women's Dress Shoes, 3.85
WHITE, gray or Ivory Kid Shoes with cloth top to match, plum kid with ivory tops, high vared heels. Very desirable Shoes at a very low figure for Tuesday only.

(Main Floor.)

Silk Vests, Special, 2.25
WOMEN'S Italian Silk Vests; beautifully embroidered yoker.

(Main Floor.)

Union Suits, at 19c
BOYS' Porosmesh Union Suits, in all sizes, at this special price.

(Main Floor.)

Lisle Underwear 45c
WOMEN'S Vests, Tights and Pants; several shapes, knee or ankle length. Well-known brand and an exceptional value at sale price.

(Main Floor.)

Curtain Scrims, Yard, 7c
TWENTY pieces of splendid quality Curtain Scrims, in white, ivory and beige, with neat striped borders and woven edge, at a very low price.

Wavy Switches 59c
TWENTY-SIX natural wavy Switches, of excellent quality, made on short stems.

Darning Cotton, 3 Balls, 5c
BEST "American" Darning Cotton, in 5c black, white or tan. Limit 6 balls to customer.

Rubber Gloves, Pair, 25c
WOMEN'S Household Rubber Gloves, in flesh color and red. Sizes 7½ to 9½.

Handkerchiefs, Doz., 25c
CHILDREN'S Cambric Handkerchiefs; large size; with printed borders in colors and in pretty patterns.

Percale Aprons, 39c
SHOWN in light and dark colors. Open front and back styles, trimmed with contrasting colors. These are slight seconds.

Waist Aprons 15c
OF light percale and gingham, made with pockets. Very special value at the price.

Wash Petticoats 39c
OF striped and solid colored seer-sucker ginghams, with flare section ruffles.

Hand Horns 1.75
HIGH-GRADE mechanical horns, in design and construction. Excellent warning signal.

(Second Floor Annex.)

Toilet Paper, 8 Rolls 25c
"BOB WHITE" Toilet Paper offered for Tuesday. 16 rolls to a customer.

(Fifth Floor.)

Polish Mops, Each, 79c
O-CEDAR Polish Mops; triangle shape; large size and with adjustable handle.

(Fifth Floor.)

Ice Cream Freezers, 69c
THE "Acme" brand, in two-quart size.

(Fifth Floor.)

Plants, Dozen, 55c
HARDY Plants for flower beds, in a big variety of choice kinds.

(Fifth Floor.)

Sand Pile Outfit 1.59
CONSISTING of large Jumbo size enameled pan, 50 lbs. of white sand, pail and shovel.

(Fifth Floor.)

Baby Carriages 12.75
WOOD body with leatherette folding hood, reclining back, rubber-tired wheels.

(Fifth Floor.)

Linoleum, Sq. Yd., 39c
ONE THOU-SAND yards of best grade Printed Cork Linoleum, two yards wide, and enough of a pattern to cover any room.

(Fourth Floor.)

Axminster Rugs, 24.75
GENESSEE, Roxbury, Hartford, Bosorah and Bigelow Axminster Rugs, in a beautiful range of Oriental designs, at less than maker's cost.

(Fourth Floor.)

Sport Coats

at \$10



EMBRACING splendid styles, in silk jersey and taffeta lace. Smart little coats for Summer wear in the desired shades of lettuce green, mock orange, violet, coral, Copenhagen, black and white. Made with separate belts and large sailor collars and turnback cuffs. Sizes 34 to 48.

(Third Floor.)

Newest Blouses \$2.79

On Special Sale at

HAND-Embroidered Voile and Batiste Waists, large variety of beautiful styles from which to make selection. Sizes 36 to 48 bust measurement. A real bargain offering.

(Third Floor.)

Marquisesettes 10c
FIFTY bolts of highly mercerized Curtain Marquisesettes, with woven hemstitched edge—others with fancy striped borders. Shown in white, ivory and beige.

(Square 16—Main Floor.)

Curtain Voiles, Yard 18c
FANCY Colored Voiles and Marquisesettes, all highly mercerized—in various colored border combinations.

(Fourth Floor.)

Japanese Curtains, Pair 75c
SHOWN in beautiful color combinations of delft blue on white ground—are 2½ yards long and 45 inches wide and ideal for sun-rooms and dining rooms.

(Fourth Floor.)

Marseilles Bedspreads 1.95
JUST ninety to offer at Tuesday's special sale price. They are of extra quality and new patterns. 82x92-inch, for full-size beds—scalloped and with cut corners.

(Square 17, Main Floor.)

Gabardine Voile, Yard 69c
ALL-WOOL Black Gabardine, of crisp, heavy threads—light weight, for Summer skirts. 50 inches wide.

(Second Floor.)

Good Novels, Each, 23c
OVER one hundred titles selected from our popular copyrighted and surplus of original editions and priced very special at five for \$1.00, or each, 23c.

(Second Floor.)

Windsor Ties, Each 15c
GOOD quality Messaline Windsor Ties; regulation sizes and in all the leading shades.

(Main Floor.)

Drape Veils, Each 50c
ALL the newest models, of lace, chiffon and net; plain or sport styles, and all good colors.

(Main Floor.)

Madeira Handkerchiefs 35c
REAL Madeira Handkerchiefs, of pure linen, in beautiful one-corner eyelet embroidered designs, and allround hand-scalloped edges.

(Main Floor.)

Embroideries, Yard 7½c
EDGES and Insertions, in widths up to 6 inches. Some of Swiss, others of nainsook, cambric, batiste and crepe.

(Main Floor.)

Curtain Marquisesettes 16c
TWENTY-FIVE pieces of fancy bordered Marquisesettes, of highly mercerized quality. All have drawnwork borders and shown in ivory and beige colors.

(Fourth Floor.)

Extra—Butter Jars 10c
GLASS Butter Jars, one-pound capacity; oblong shape; for the refrigerator.

(Fifth Floor.)

Chocolate Cake, 28c
TWO good layers, with rich milk chocolate icing between the layers and on top, offered very special for Tuesday.

(Main Floor.)

10-Pc. Cooking Sets 1.69
CAN be used separately, as double boiler, double roaster, double steamer, egg poacher, cake pan, bake pan, milk pan, five custard or muffin cups.

(Fifth Floor.)

Wall Paper, Roll, 10c
OATMEAL Papers, in dark shades of blue, green or brown—solid with or without borders.

(Fourth Floor.)

Lighting Fixtures 3.95
SEMI-INDIRECT Light Fixtures; 16-in. white bowl, glazed interior, three chains and canopy. Complete, ready to hang, at this special sale price.

(Fifth Floor.)



Corsets

"Rengo Belt" \$1.55

Three hundred pairs of these popular Corsets for medium and stout figures in this special Tuesday sale. Of strong coutil, low and medium bust, long skirts, three pairs of suspenders attached. All sizes.

(Second Floor.)

Stix, Baer & Fuller

GRAND UNDER SIXTH-WASHINGTON FIFTH & LUCAS

KAISER ON TERMS OF PEACE WITH HIS AMERICAN DENTIST

Teutonic Deities International Relations to "Enemy" Doctor in Call to German Headquarters.

COPENHAGEN, May 14.—Emperor William of Germany has summoned his American dentist, Arthur Newton Davis of Piqua, O., to visit him at Great Headquarters this week and attend to his teeth.

The war in general has proved toothache to be no respecter of international relations and throughout the long months of tension between Germany and the United States the Imperial family and the highest officials have continued to visit their respective American dentists. Each new crisis was marked by an almost ludicrous rush of members of the royal family, Foreign Office officials and other dignitaries to get their teeth attended to before the possible departure of the American dentists.

The Emperor's personal view of the relations with the United States apparently is the official interpretation of his Government, which in a communication regarding the continuance of the Belgian relief work speaks not of war, but of the "abandonment of neutrality" by the United States.

'LIBERTY LOAN' RAILLIES ALL OVER COUNTRY PLANNED

McAdoo Enlisting Aid of Political Orators in Subscription Campaign.

HOW TO BUY BONDS

Secretary of Treasury to Speak in Mid-Western Cities; Urges Oversubscription.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Plans for old-fashioned popular rallies organized to stimulate interest in the Liberty Loan with a corps of political orators of the two great political parties enlisted in a speaking campaign was the subject of a conference here today between Secretary McAdoo and Vane's McCormick, Democratic national chairman.

McCormick came here to discuss the advisability of reviving the Democratic Speakers' Bureau, which was active in the political campaign last fall, to help direct the publicity work of the bonds.

He promised also to co-operate with Chairman Wilcox of the Republican National Committee in a similar activity.

Secretary McAdoo will set the pace for such a speaking campaign by starting this week on a tour of Western cities. He will speak Thursday at Chicago; Milwaukee, May 18; St. Paul, May 19; Des Moines, May 21; Lincoln, May 22; Denver, May 23, and Kansas City May 24, and probably in other cities.

Secretary McAdoo will tell his audiences that the United States is not engaged in half a war but in a fight to the finish with autocracy still stronger entrenched. He will appeal to their patriotism to do their part in making effective the declaration of the President that America pledges all her resources in the cause of democracy.

He will seek to unloose the purse strings of all classes, so that the "Liberty Loan" will not only be fully subscribed but tremendously oversubscribed, and that Germany may realize, in the word of a statement he issued last night, that "we have billions to sacrifice in the cause of liberty."

"With the announcement of the details of the Liberty loan," Secretary McAdoo said, "the preliminary campaign is ended and the actual campaign has begun. There are 30 days within which the people of the United States must make good the action of Congress in pledging all the resources of the country for the conduct of a righteous war—a war for universal liberty.

"Failure to subscribe the \$2,000,000,000 required would be a confession of national impotence. I do not for a moment doubt the overwhelming success of the Liberty loan if the people are made to realize that no great work of this kind can be achieved unless everyone throws himself into the task with the energy and fire of determined patriotism.

one \$50 or the one \$100 bond applied for). Signature of subscriber in full.

Address, No. and street.....
City or town..... State.....
County.....
Time of Payment.....

It is desirable, the application form adds in a footnote, that the applicant state if full payment is to be made before the final installment indicated in the circular (Aug. 30), and, if so, the date of full payment; the names and addresses of banks and trust companies upon which checks will be drawn for subsequent installments; denominations of interim certificates, issued upon receipt of installments and through what bank or other agency the application is forwarded.

The circular referred to as No. 78 is the one telegraphed to reserve banks. After reiterating the description of the bonds, previously published, and calling attention to their denominations—bearer bonds with coupons attached in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000 and \$5,000, \$10,000 and \$50,000 and \$100,000—and to the interest rate, 3 1/2 per cent to the interest dates, June 15 and Dec. 15, to the exemption of bonds from all taxation, except the inheritance tax and to the conversion privilege under which they may be exchanged for any bonds issued at a higher rate of interest during the war, the circular continues:

"The agencies designated to receive applications for the bonds are the Treasury Department in Washington, D. C., and the Federal Reserve Bank in Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Richmond, Atlanta (with branch at New Orleans), Chicago, St. Louis, Minneapolis, Kansas City, Dallas and San Francisco. Said banks have been designated also as fiscal agents of the United States to collect applications and to give notice of the allotments which the Secretary of the Treasury will eventually make to subscribers and to issue interim certificates for payments made on allotted subscriptions.

Free Service Offered.
"Large numbers of national banks, state banks and trust companies, private bankers, express companies, newspapers, department stores and other private corporations, firms and organizations, have patriotically offered to receive and transmit applications for the Liberty Loan without expense to the United States or to the applicants. The Secretary of the Treasury, appreciating the value of these offers, will have application blanks widely distributed throughout the country to these private institutions and also to the postoffice and subtreasuries. Individual subscribers may use these conveniences or may send their applications directly to the Treasury Department at Washington and to the Federal Reserve Bank in the law prohibits the allowance or payment of commissions on subscriptions, all those through whom applications are made render service as a patriotic duty without compensation.

"All applications must be in the form prescribed and be accompanied by a payment of 2 per cent of the amount of bonds applied for. Applications must be for \$50 or any multiple thereof, but any application for one \$50 or \$100 bond, until further notice, may be allotted at once and payment in full accepted against delivery or an interim certificate. Applications much reach the Treasury Department or a Federal Reserve Bank not later than noon, June 15, 1917, the right being reserved by the Secretary of the Treasury to close the subscription on any earlier date.

Time of Allotments.
"Allotments will be made as soon after June 15 as possible. The Secretary reserves the right to reject any subscriptions or to make allotment of part of the amounts subscribed for, and to allot in full upon applications for smaller amounts of bonds even though it may be necessary to reduce allotments on applications for larger amounts should any such action be deemed by him to be in the public interest; and his decision in these respects will be final.

In any case of the rejection of an application, the accompanying payment of 2 per cent of the amount applied for will be returned. In case of partial allotment the 2 per cent payment will be retained and any excess applied upon the next installment.

"Upon allotment of bonds, the subscriber will receive notice thereof signed by or on behalf of the Federal Reserve Bank of his district. Unless and until payment in full has been made, further payments must be made when and as below provided, under penalty of forfeiture of any and all installments previously paid and of all right of interest in the bonds allotted."

The terms of payment referred to are 15 per cent June 28, 30 per cent July 30, 30 per cent Aug. 15, and the remaining 30 per cent Aug. 30. It is strongly recommended that subscribers avail themselves of the assistance of their own banks, but where subscriptions are sent direct to the reserve banks or the Treasury Department, they should be made by bank draft, check, postoffice, express money order or in cash.

Checks Must Be Certified.
All checks must be certified. If payments are other than by cash the payee should be designated as "Treasurer of the United States, Liberty Loan account," except where subscriptions are sent reserve banks. Such checks or money orders should be made payable to the Federal Reserve Bank of the Liberty Loan account.

Interim certificates for installment payments, the circular continues, "due on or after June 28, will be issued by the reserve banks. Upon payment of the first installment, June 28, the notice of allotment must be surrendered and upon payment of the second, third and fourth installments the interim certificate must be presented to reserve bank in question. When the last installment has been paid the interim certificate

will be taken up and the bond delivered. Inasmuch as the bond will bear interest from June 15, the last installment should cover the accrued interest. "Delivery of definitive bonds to holders of full paid interim contracts will commence as soon as practicable after June 28 and expenses of delivery will be borne by the Government."

The Associated Press News Service received and printed exclusively by the Post-Dispatch in the St. Louis evening field.

NEGRO STUDENTS ABANDON ATHLETICS FOR GARDENING
Summer School Grounds Are Plowed Up and in Addition 25 Lots Will Be Cultivated.

The entire student body of Sumner (negro) High School, numbering 1,000 boys and girls, is engaged in truck gardening in addition to the regular studies. Last Saturday the grounds around the school were broken and planting was begun today.

At a mass meeting last week the students voted unanimously to give up all athletics this spring and summer and to devote all spare time to gardening. Following this decision the tennis, basketball and baseball grounds were plowed up.

Frank L. Williams, principal of the school, which is at Cottage and Good avenues, has obtained permission from property owners to cultivate 25 lots in addition to the ground about the school.

Do your part to keep the soldiers and sailors well supplied with Yucatan. It helps their digestion and makes them better fighters

CHEW YUCATAN GUM

Do your part to keep the soldiers and sailors well supplied with Yucatan. It helps their digestion and makes them better fighters

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Briggs-Vanderhoort-Barney

Store Hours: 8:30 to 5:00. Olive to Locust From Ninth to Tenth.

Tuesday News

Tuesday Morning Basement SALE OF SUITS at \$9.75

Promptly at 8:30 tomorrow morning 40 Suits, for misses and women, will go on sale at this low price for quick disposal, because they are in small sizes.

The more particular you are about color, the earlier you should come—for every Suit is an exceptional value at this price and the lot will not last long.

Suits in navy blue, tan, sage green, Magenta, Honey and Shepherd checks; the majority of them are silk lined and the materials are all-wool Poplins, Granites and Poirer Twills. Every Suit is a correct Spring style and the Vandervoort label is in each.

Basement Shop.

\$15 Water Power Washing Machines for \$11.50

As illustrated—the most reliable washer made; motor is guaranteed for one year, but with ordinary care should last five years. It is well constructed with full size tub.

Washboards, 30c
Made of special washboard metal with spiral crimp rubbing surface; each.....30c

Clothes Props, 10c
In the 8-ft. length; each.....10c

Ironing Boards, 69c
5 1/2 ft. long, with a smooth finish; each.....69c

Clotheslines, 19c
In 50 ft. lengths; special, each.....19c

25c Household Ammonia, 19c
Extra strength, for household and laundry use; regular 25c size.....19c

Scrub Brushes, 10c
With solid backs; special value, each.....10c

Whisk Brooms, 19c
In a good household size; each.....19c

Sponges, 21c
For general household use; each.....21c

\$1.10 Garbage Cans, 85c
With tight fitting covers; well made; will hold six gallons; regular \$1.10 value; special.....85c

Cocoa Door Mats, 79c
16x27 in.; low pile; can easily be dried; very serviceable. Special value.....79c

Naphtha Powdered Soap, 14c
In large size packages; for both laundry and household use. While a limited quantity lasts, special.....14c

Scouring Powder, 8 for 23c
Keen Kleener, for general household use; cleans and brightens all surfaces; special.....8 for 23c

Stepladders
Well made of white pine; each step braced; complete with bucket rest—5 ft., special, \$1.40 6 ft., special, \$1.65

Waxing Brushes, \$1.49
For polishing hardwood floors; 15-lb. size, each.....\$1.49

Floor Wax, 39c
Butchers' Boston Floor Wax for hardwood floors and furniture; 1-lb. size, each.....39c

Curtain Stretchers, 95c
Made of kiln dried basswood, with nickel-plated pins placed 2 in. apart; size 6x12 ft. Special.....95c

Clothes Wringers \$4.25
As illustrated, well made of varnished hardwood, bolted frames with 11 in. guaranteed rollers. Special while a limited quantity lasts, \$4.25

Household Goods Shop—Basement

New Georgette Collars Vestees and Collar and Cuff Sets \$50c to \$7.50

In our Neckwear Shop we are showing a wonderful assortment of Georgette collars, collar and cuff sets, vestees, etc., many lace trimmed and hand embroidered. 50c to \$7.50

Novelty Mesh Veiling

Novelty Mesh Veiling in all colors and black and white, plain dotted and fancy meshes, the yard.....15c to \$1.00 Neckwear Shop—First Floor.

Cotton Wash Laces

Cotton Wash Laces in wide band galloons, edges and flowers, suitable for Summer frocks, negligees, etc., the yard.....35c

Shadow Laces

Shadow Laces, Platt Val. and Cotton Wash Laces, suitable for trimming jabots, etc., the yard.....10c

Lace Shop—First Floor.

Bake Shop Special

Marmalade Doughnuts, the doz., 25c Bake Shop—First Floor.

A Special Demonstration Of the Most Modern and Scientific

Fireless Cookers

The Ideal is the most approved and highly efficient of the fireless types. By test it has proven that fully 80% of the fuel cost may be saved and 50% of the housewife's time, which may be devoted to other things. It will make cooking a pleasure and render the foods cooked of greater nutritive value and far more palatable than the present ways of cooking.

One Compartment Cookers—\$14.25, \$15.65
Two Compartment Cookers—\$21, \$24.50, \$27.75

Women's Traveling Bags, \$14.50

—made of genuine Seal Walrus hide with sewed-on corners, sewed frame, brass catches; leather lining with pockets; a very stylish and durable bag. Price.....\$14.50 Luggage Shop—First Floor.

Steamer Trunks, \$9.50

—covering of hard fiber with fiber binding, trimmings of solid steel, good lock and bolts, cloth lined, divided tray. Price \$9.50 Luggage Shop—First Floor.

STUPENDOUS CASH PURCHASE

7 BIG Tuesday Specials!

Entire Factory Stock of
**MEN'S
PANTS**
Closed Out at 66c
on the Dollar!

Men's Durable Pants
Strong, wear-resisting fabric, in good, serviceable patterns—perfectly tailored—in all sizes from 34 to 42. Priced Tuesday at \$1.00

Men's \$2 Worsted Pants
A big group of serviceable worsted pants that combine great durability and low prices—28 to 50—priced Tuesday at \$1.35

Men's Splendid \$3 Pants
Good worsted and cashmere pants that combine neat patterns, good tailoring and staunch, serviceable materials—priced Tuesday at \$2.00

Men's \$4 Worsted Pants
Also all-wool blue serge, in a complete range of sizes—thoroughly well made—priced Tuesday at \$2.45

Men's Excellent \$5 Pants
Skillfully tailored of fine worsteds, Scotch, cheviots and cashmere—all sizes up to 52 waist—priced Tuesday at \$3.00

Men's Fine \$6 Pants
High-grade, all-wool cashmere and worsted fabrics, in the pretty new Spring colors—28 to 52—priced Tuesday at \$3.85

Men's & Young Men's
\$15 Suits
Tuesday at \$10

All the newest styles, in both plain backs and belted back—handsome fabrics and patterns—all sizes—priced Tuesday at \$10.00

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NORTHWEST CORNER
8th and WASHINGTON

SKINNER'S

FOR EAGLE STAMPS
Eagle brand spaghetti macaroni noodles

STRAWBERRIES Qt. Box 15c
Extra fine, large, tasty, juicy, rich, ripe berries.

LETTUCE 2 for 5c **FRESH TOMATOES** 3 for 10c
Large, crisp heads.

NEW POTATOES 7c **RHUBARB** 3 for 10c
Good size, sound, per lb.

Cucumbers 5c **Mustard or Kale** 10c **Spinach** 10c
Good size, fresh, each.

Radishes 2 for 5c **Texas Onions** 6c **Lemons** 12c
Fresh, red or white, sound, per lb.

ORANGES 15c **APPLES** 24c
Sound, sweet, per dozen.

KARO 11c **PANCAKE FLOUR** 9c
Blue Label, this syrup, at a special price, 1 1/4-lb. cans.

ROLLED OATS 5c **CORN FLAKES** 2 pkgs. 15c
Bulk, per lb. C. C. 9c Quaker, fresh, 2 pkgs. 15c

WHOLE BISCUITS 10c **COUNTRY BREAKFAST FOOD** 10c
Rosa's fine, with fruit, per pkg. The sweetmeats of the meat, per pkg.

CORN 15c **SPARERIBS** 17c
Forest Park, Shoe Per. with the flavor of fresh cut corn; No. 2 can.

PEAS 13c **CHUCK STEAK** 22c
Sweet, tender, Early June. No. 2 can.

SAUERKRAUT 15c **FRISH GROUND HAMBURGER** 20c
Long thin cut, good quality, No. 1 can.

AVO - PRESERVES 23c **JIFFY-JELL** 12c
DALE 12c C. C. absolutely pure fruit, 8-oz. jar.

PEACH PRESERVES 12c **APPLE JELLY** 9c **PLUM JELLY** 9c
In tomato sauce; a big value.

ROUND SAH DINES 3 cans 25c **AVOLON MACKEREL** 14c
In tomato sauce; a big value.

POTTED MEAT 4c **CHIPPED BEEF** 12c **MUSTARD** 15c
Ham flavor, 4c; per tin.

PICKLES 9c **SWEET MIXED** 12c **PIMENTOS** 12c
POMPEIAN, olive oil, bottle.

OLEO RICE 3 lbs 25c **BEANS** 10c
PET BRAND Sterilized rice, for the morning meal.

Kre-mo 2 pkgs 25c **PINTO** 15c
Evap. PEACHES 15c Choice Malt, large meaty, pound.

CALIF PEACHES 15c **FRUIT** 17c
Harvard yellow, No. 1 1/2 can.

PINEAPPLE 19c **NAVY BEANS** 20c
Country Club; fancy sliced, in good syrup; No. 2 can.

LENOR SOAP 7 Bars for 25c
A remarkable value on this quality soap.

CRYSTAL SOAP 4 Bars 17c **GOBLIN SOAP** 2 Cakes 9c **KEEN KLEENER** 3c
For washing delicate fabrics.

Bouillon Cubes 5 for 10c **Chewing Gum** or **Juicy Fruit**, per pkg. 4c

KROGER'S 110 QUALITY STORES

ST. LOUIS TO GAIN A LARGE ILLINOIS TRADE TERRITORY

Commerce Commission Order
Will Open Two-Thirds of
State to This City.

FREIGHT RATES EQUALIZED

They Have Been Largely Dis-
criminated in Favor of
Chicago.

Two-thirds of the State of Illinois was made available to St. Louis trade territory when the Interstate Commerce Commission issued a decision Saturday placing St. Louis on a parity with Chicago, according to P. W. Goyle, Traffic Commissioner of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce.

"Whippers here will be greatly benefited by the new ruling, which is one of the most important victories St. Louis has achieved in traffic matters in many years," said Goyle today. "Five per cent discrimination has prevented competition in many lines; it has practically closed certain Illinois markets to the St. Louis wholesalers and manufacturers."

"This decision removes the difference of rate against St. Louis which favored Chicago as to Illinois business. It will mean thousands of dollars to St. Louis shippers annually. Removal of the freight discrimination, in my opinion, will be one of the greatest business stimulants St. Louis has ever experienced. It will encourage the location of many new industries on this side of the river."

Victory After Two Years.
The Chamber of Commerce, in behalf of the city, waged the fight for two years. The original action included both passenger and freight rates. The new freight rate will become operative July 16, and St. Louis manufacturers and shippers will institute at that time an Illinois trade-winning campaign.

"The order on passenger rates, putting St. Louis on a 2-cent basis with other Illinois points, will become operative June 3. The combined result of these two victories is by far the most important ruling ever gained relative to St. Louis trade expansion."

"The discrimination of which we complained was the result of a 5 per cent advance in freight rates made in October, 1914, in all of the territory east of the Mississippi River, including St. Louis and points north of the Ohio and Potomac Rivers. The day before these advances became effective the Util-

ities Commission of Illinois suspended their operation in that State.

Advantage Chicago Has Had.
"Thus at the present time the old or lower rates are in effect between all points in Illinois, while the 5 per cent advance applies between St. Louis and all points east of the Mississippi River, including Illinois."

"Hence Chicago can distribute goods to all points in Illinois on a lower basis than St. Louis; or in other words Chicago can ship goods, at the rate now stands, into Illinois from twenty to sixty miles farther than we can at the same rate. The order issued Saturday removes this discrimination."

**HARDEN NOT SURPRISED
THAT CHINA ENTERED WAR**

**Berlin Editor Says Choice Was Due
to "A Revival of the Ancient Struggle
of the Sword Against the Spirit."**
AMSTERDAM, May 14.—The current number of Dye Zunkunf, Maximilian Harden's Berlin newspaper, is entirely devoted to Germany's twelfth enemy—China.

Harden asks how such a peace-loving power came to "declare war" on Germany and replies by citing at great length from letters purporting to have been written by the late Li Hung Chang relating to experiences of the famous Chinese in Europe, describing Germany as nothing but a war camp and telling of the all-mighty Emperor and of Germany's commerce, which he terms the great evil, dominating everything.

"The corruptible considers everyone corruptible," is Harden's retort to those Germans who allege that China was lured with dollars. He ridicules as stupid any notion that China is arming against Japan. Harden thinks there is nothing surprising in China's choice when she sees a revival of the ancient struggle of the sword against the spirit.

POLICE FIND 2 LOST CHILDREN

**Walked From East St. Louis Where
Mother Left Them.**
Margaret and John White, 9 and 7, years old, of Webb City, Mo., were found at Eight and Spruce streets yesterday. They said they had been brought to St. Louis by their mother, Mrs. Dora White.

At Union Station, they related their mother was met by a man who took the family in an automobile to East St. Louis. The children were put out of the car and told to go to "auntie's." They crossed the Municipal Bridge to this side of the river. The police sent the children to the House of Detention.

2 Steamers Sink in St. Mary's River.
SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., May 14.—The steamer Pentecost Mitchell, downbound, with ore, collided with the freighter Saxonia, up-bound, at the mouth of St. Mary's river, at midnight last night. Both steamers sank in 40 feet of water. The crews were saved.

SUIT OVER ROAD BONDS IS FILED IN JEFFERSON COUNTY

Injunction Against Expenditure
of More Money From Their
Sale Asked For.

Several large taxpayers of Jefferson County, south of St. Louis County, have united in an effort to prevent the expenditure of any more money raised under the county's \$500,000 road bonds issue.

Suit has been filed in the Circuit Court at Hillsboro, asking for an injunction to prevent the County Court from expending any more money raised by the sale of bonds. The regular term of the Circuit Court opened today, but it was announced that no action would be taken on the petition, as no request for a temporary injunction was made.

The motion for a permanent injunction will be taken up at the September term of court, and in the meantime the County Court is legally at liberty to take any action it wishes. The fact that the injunction suit is pending, however, is expected to prove a practical hindrance.

If the petitioners had asked for a temporary injunction, they would have had to provide a bond of twice the amount of the bond issue, or \$1,000,000. The chief petitioners for the injunction are W. C. Kerckhoff, F. R. Russell and Milton Moss. All are large taxpayers, and all are said to have favored the bond issue at the time it was voted, in April, 1916. They have changed their view because of dissatisfaction with the manner in which the County Court has proceeded thus far. All own property on the Pevely and Goldman roads, and they are dissatisfied with the plans made for the improvement of this thoroughfare.

**ITCHING TORTURE
STOPS**

It is unnecessary for you to suffer with "eczema," blotches, ringworm, rashes and similar skin troubles. A little zemo, obtained at any drug store for 25c, or \$1.00 for extra large bottle, and promptly applied will usually give instant relief from itching torture. It cleanses and soothes and heals quickly and effectively most skin diseases.

Zemo is a wonderful, penetrating, disappearing liquid and is soothing to the most delicate skin. It is not greasy, is easily applied and costs little. Get it today and save all further distress.

**For tired, aching, burning eyes
SANTOL EYE BATH**
Cleanses, refreshes, invigorates.
It's a wash, not a medicine. At any drug store, 25 cents.

view because of dissatisfaction with the manner in which the County Court has proceeded thus far. All own property on the Pevely and Goldman roads, and they are dissatisfied with the plans made for the improvement of this thoroughfare.

Last February, in the hope of making it possible to proceed with the work of road improvement this summer, Jefferson County officials carried out a plan of selling bonds and buying them back by the issuance of funding bonds. This was done to prevent a possible legal obstacle, in case the State Supreme Court should act unfavorably on suits involving the validity of the St. Louis County \$500,000 bond issue. In the funding transaction, the William R. Compton Investment Co. of St. Louis figured as the purchaser of the issue of \$463,000 4 1/2 per cent refunding bonds.

In the injunction petition, the refunding transaction is attacked as illegal, on the ground that the sale of the original bonds was only a pretended sale. The validity of the bonds is also at-

tacked, on the ground that the issue exceeds the constitutional limit of 5 per cent of the total assessed valuation. The County Court has thus far had the actual handling of about one-fifth the amount of the bond issue. The petitioners say, in explaining their changed attitude toward the bond proposal, that the County Court has not accomplished any improvement work, but has only bought expensive machinery, with a view to doing the work under the supervision of the highway engineer. The Court's critics say it would have been more economical to let contractors for the work, the contractors to furnish the machinery.

Presiding Judge Byrd of the County Court, when asked by a Post-Dispatch correspondent at Hillsboro for a statement as to the Court's policy, said he preferred to make no statement at this time.

Edward T. Haase Dies.
Edward Theodore Haase, 54 years old, of 223 Longfellow boulevard, president

of the A. C. L. Haase & Sons Fish Co., died last night at his home of heart disease. He was a native of St. Louis, and had been connected with the fish company since 1880. He also was interested in other concerns. He is survived by two sons and a daughter.

CAPT. ASSMANN FLIES 300 MILES

Carried to Tennessee on Demonstration Balloon Trip.

Capt. William F. Assmann of the United States Signal Corps' balloon division, started on what was intended to be a short balloon flight from Meramec Park, Grand avenue and Meramec street, yesterday afternoon, and landed 300 miles south of St. Louis in Tiptonville, Tenn. A strong wind carried him southward rapidly. The flight was made as a demonstration for 12 members of the newly organized Aeronautic Corps. Albert Bond Lambert, Capt. John Berry and Capt. H. E. Honeywell aided in preparations for the ascension.

Teamsters Got Ralco and 16-Hour Day
CLEVELAND, O., May 14.—The end of the teamsters' strike came yesterday when officials of the Teamsters' Union

Stop Corn Pain In Two Minutes
By the Clock--Easy and Simple

THE MAGIC TOUCH OF ICE-MINT DOES IT. JUST A TOUCH STOPS THE SORENESS, THEN THE CORN OR CALLOUS SHRIVELS AND LIFTS OFF. TRY IT. YOUR FEET WILL FEEL COOL AND FINE.

Thanks to a new discovery made from a Japanese product your foot troubles can be quickly ended. Ice-Mint as this new preparation is called is said to shrivel up hard corns, soft corns or corns between the toes so that they can be lifted out easily with the fingers. Rub a little on any tender corn or callous. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly the corn or callous will loosen so that it can be lifted right out with the fingers—cool and all. No footbaths. Ice-Mint is a clean, creamy, snow-white, non-poisonous substance and does not inflame or even irritate the most tender skin. There is no pain, swelling or even a bit of soreness while applying. Ice-Mint is a perfect cure for corns and callous. It acts so quickly, so magically that you will never again suffer from the pain of blood-poisoned corns. Ask your druggist for a small jar of Ice-Mint which will cost little more than sufficient to rid you of a few corns or callous. It is the only product of its kind. ADVERTISEMENT.

and of the Builders' Supply Dealers' Association signed an agreement providing for an increase of wages and a ten-hour day for members of the union.

Blue Birds

They Make for Happiness

Always the Newest Articles
in Our Store—at These Low
Prices—for Tuesday Only

King's

Blue Bird No. 37,993—Tuesday Only.
50c Voiles, 35c
36-inch; white grounds with colored stripes, or plain colors.
Blue Bird No. 37,994—Tuesday Only.
25c Gingham, 21c
Dress Gingham, plaids and stripes; 32 inches wide.
Blue Bird No. 37,995—Tuesday Only.
75c Linen, 60c
Dress Linen, in plain colors; 36 inches wide.
Blue Bird No. 37,996—Tuesday Only.
25c Tissue, 20c
Tissue Gingham, in stripes and plaids effects; 27 inches wide.
Blue Bird No. 37,997—Tuesday Only.
25c Crepe, 20c
Japanese Crepe, white grounds with wavy colored stripes; 27-inch.

Blue Bird No. 37,998—Tuesday Only.
75c Stationery, 50c
Crane's Linea Lawn Correspondence Cards; plain or tints, white borders.
Blue Bird No. 37,999—Tuesday Only.
75c Drag Net, 60c
40-inch all-silk Drag Net; light and dark shades.
Blue Bird No. 38,000—Tuesday Only.
\$3.50 Allover, \$2.50
36-in. Eru Silk Flirt Allover, in attractive floral designs.
Blue Bird No. 38,001—Tuesday Only.
\$1.50 Gloves, \$1.10
Women's 1-clasp white Kid Gloves.
Blue Bird No. 38,002—Tuesday Only.
\$2.00 Gloves, \$1.60
Women's 1-clasp Washable Kid Gloves; gray, ivory and tan.
Blue Bird No. 38,003—Tuesday Only.
39c Half Hose, 30c
Men's Silk Lisle Half Hose; double heels and toes, seamless.

Blue Bird No. 38,004—Tuesday Only.
\$6.95 Skirts, \$5.25
Women's poplin and silk skirts; several attractive models.
Blue Bird No. 38,005—Tuesday Only.
\$5.00 Blouses, \$4.20
Beautiful Georgette crepe; frill styles, box-plaited models.
Blue Bird No. 38,006—Tuesday Only.
\$1.00 Middles, 75c
Regulation style, belted models; colored collars and solid color middies.
Blue Bird No. 38,007—Tuesday Only.
\$3.00 Blouses, \$2.25
Organic and Velle Blouses in many attractive styles.
Blue Bird No. 38,008—Tuesday Only.
\$12.50 Suits, \$10.00
Misses' Washable Gabardine Sport Suits; combination colors.
Blue Bird No. 38,009—Tuesday Only.
\$19.50 Suits, \$15.00
Misses' Pongee, Taffeta, Tussah Silk, Serge and Check Suits.

Blue Bird No. 38,010—Tuesday Only.
25c Ribbon, 20c
Hairbow Ribbon, good quality; variety of pretty patterns and colors.
Blue Bird No. 38,011—Tuesday Only.
50c Handkerchiefs, 40c
Men's Initial Irish Linen Handkerchiefs; hand embroidered.
Blue Bird No. 38,012—Tuesday Only.
25c Handkerchiefs, 20c
Women's Initial Irish Linen Handkerchiefs; hand embroidered.
Blue Bird No. 38,013—Tuesday Only.
\$1.00 Handkerchiefs, 75c
Men's Habutai Silk Handkerchiefs; hemstitched hems, fine quality.
Blue Bird No. 38,014—Tuesday Only.
65c Pillowcases, 50c
Stamped Pillowcases; 36x42-inch, high-grade tubing, new designs.
Blue Bird No. 38,015—Tuesday Only.
59c Aprons, 40c
Stamped made-up Aprons; assorted designs.

Blue Bird No. 38,016—Tuesday Only.
\$1.75 Curtains, \$1.35
Scotch and Madras Weave Curtains; overlooked edges.
Blue Bird No. 38,017—Tuesday Only.
\$2.00 Beds, \$1.55
Infants' Lababy Canvas Outing Bed.
Blue Bird No. 38,018—Tuesday Only.
\$1.65 Chairs, \$1.20
Infants' Nursery Chair, oak finish.
Blue Bird No. 38,019—Tuesday Only.
\$3.00 Dresses, \$2.25
Children's fancy lace-trimmed Dresses; ages to 6 years.
Blue Bird No. 38,020—Tuesday Only.
\$1.50 Rompers, \$1.20
Children's white and colored Rompers; 2 to 4 years.
Blue Bird No. 38,021—Tuesday Only.
\$3.50 Corsets, \$2.25
Bon Ton Corsets; pink or white coutil; sizes 23 to 34.
Blue Bird No. 38,022—Tuesday Only.
\$5.00 Corsets, \$3.50
Bon Ton Corsets; pink or white brocade; sizes 19 to 36.
Blue Bird No. 38,023—Tuesday Only.
\$10.00 Corsets, \$6.25
Madame Lyra, in pink brocade; low bust; sizes 23 to 30.
Blue Bird No. 38,024—Tuesday Only.
\$2.70 Chemises, \$2.10
Philippine Envelope Chemises; hand-embroidered designs, eyelet and scallops.
Blue Bird No. 38,025—Tuesday Only.
\$3.00 Petticoats, \$2.25
Of cambric; flounces trimmed with lace and embroidery; all sizes.
Blue Bird No. 38,026—Tuesday Only.
\$4.00 Petticoats, \$3.25
Of taffeta and tub silk; white, black and colors.
Blue Bird No. 38,027—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Kimonos, \$1.95
Of Japanese crepe; hand embroidered in attractive designs.
Blue Bird No. 38,028—Tuesday Only.
\$3.85 Shirts, \$2.65
Men's Silk Shirts; heavy satin stripes crepe; 14 to 17.
Blue Bird No. 38,029—Tuesday Only.
\$2.00 Pajamas, \$1.45
Men's Mercerized Pajamas; solid color and fancy stripes; sizes A to D.
Blue Bird No. 38,030—Tuesday Only.
\$12.50 Suits, \$10.00
Boys'; Norfolk, pinch-back and pleated models; 7 to 18 years.
Blue Bird No. 38,031—Tuesday Only.
\$5.00 Shoes, \$3.60
Women's Dorothy Dodd black Shoes; patent and kid leather.
Blue Bird No. 38,032—Tuesday Only.
\$7.00 Shoes, \$5.00
Men's English Shoes and Oxfords, in gunmetal and tan.
Blue Bird No. 38,033—Tuesday Only.
\$3.00 Shoes, \$2.25
Misses' Shoes and Slippers; patent, gunmetal and canvas.
Blue Bird No. 38,034—Tuesday Only.
\$7.50 Switches, \$4.50
Hair Switches of fine hair; all shades, including gray.
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\$9.50 Silverware, \$6.75
Wm. Rogers' 26-piece chest of silverware; guaranteed for 15 years.
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\$3.00 Hats, \$2.25
Men's Spring and Summer Soft Hats and Stiff Hats.
Blue Bird No. 38,038—Tuesday Only.
\$5.00 Bout Suits, \$3.90
Of Khaki cloth; coat, leggings, knapsack and belt; 10 to 16 years.
Blue Bird No. 38,039—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Sheet, 20c
4-4 Brown Pepper Sheet.
Blue Bird No. 38,040—Tuesday Only.
\$4.00 Dresses, \$3.10
Girls' Colored Gingham and White Lawn Dresses; 6 to 14 years.
Blue Bird No. 38,041—Tuesday Only.
\$1.15 Pillowcases, 75c
Fine cotton; embroidered initial, hemstitched or scalloped edges.
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See These Bargains if You Need a Rug—the Values Are Remarkable

S. Sanford & Son's Cashmere Wilton Rugs, size 36x72 in. If bought today \$7.50, sale price.....**\$5.00**
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Roxbury Royal Axminster Rugs, size 4x6.6; all good designs. If bought today \$12.50, sale price.....**\$9.90**
S. Sanford & Son's Seamless Royal Beauvix Rugs, size 6x9; all good Oriental designs. If bought today \$25.00, sale price.....**\$17.70**
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Alex. Smith & Son's Seamless Kirman Rugs, size 9x12; both plain and Oriental effects. If bought today \$45.00, sale price.....**\$31.60**
S. Sanford & Son's Finest Grade of Seamless Royal Axminster Rugs; size 9x12; fine line of Oriental designs. If bought today \$45.00, sale price.....**\$32.95**

Bush & Terry's Royal Axminster Rugs
Size 27x54-in., if bought today.....**\$1.50**
Size 36x63-in., if bought today.....**\$3.90**

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Best Grade Beauvix:
Size 22 1/2 x 36 in., if bought today, \$2.25—sale price.....**\$1.75**
Size 27x54 in., if bought today, \$3.50—sale price.....**\$2.60**
Size 36x63 in., if bought today, \$4.50—sale price.....**\$2.90**
Size 36x70 in., if bought today, \$6.25—sale price.....**\$4.90**
S. Sanford & Son's Hall Runners, by the yard—the finest grade they make; one yard wide; look like real Oriental runners. Regular \$3.50—sale price, yard.....**\$2.25**

M. J. Whittall Teprac Wilton Rugs
Size 36x63 in., regular price \$8.50; sale price.....**\$6.60**
Size 27x54 in.; regular price \$6.50; sale price.....**\$5.35**
Size 22 1/2 x 36 in.; regular price \$3.75; sale price.....**\$2.45**

Blue Bird No. 38,043—Tuesday Only.
\$1.50 Hose, \$1.10
Women's pure Silk Hose; high-applied heels, full fashioned.
Blue Bird No. 38,044—Tuesday Only.
\$1.25 Hosiery, 85c
Women's Novelty Silk Hose; double lisle soles, toes, high-applied heels.
Blue Bird No. 38,045—Tuesday Only.
\$2.00 Hose, \$1.45
Women's pure Silk Hose; double soles, toes and high-applied heels.
Blue Bird No. 38,046—Tuesday Only.
\$1.00 Union Suits, 75c
Men's; short or long sleeves, ankle length; white or ecru; all sizes.
Blue Bird No. 38,047—Tuesday Only.
\$1.00 Union Suits, 75c
Women's; low neck, sleeveless, tight knee; white only; 4 to 6.
Blue Bird No. 38,048—Tuesday Only.
\$4.25 Union Suits, \$3.30
Women's Glove Silk Union Suits; tailored top; pink; 34 to 42.
Blue Bird No. 38,049—Tuesday Only.
\$3.00 Vests, \$2.10
Women's Glove Silk Vests; embroidered top; pink; 36 to 42.
Blue Bird No. 38,050—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Suits, \$1.85
Women's Taffeta, Satin, Silk Jersey and Poplin Suits; new high shades.
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\$15.00 Coats, \$11.50
Women's Taffeta Coats; belted models; navy and black; 36 to 44.

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Regular \$3.50 Skirts, \$1.90		Regular \$ 5.00 Dresses, \$2.90	
Regular \$5.00 Skirts, \$2.90		Regular \$ 8.98 Dresses, \$4.90	
Regular \$6.98 Skirts, \$3.90		Regular \$15.00 Dresses, \$6.90	
Regular \$8.98 Skirts, \$4.90		Regular \$20.00 Dresses, \$9.90	

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BRITISH MISSION RETURNS TO WASHINGTON FROM NEW YORK

Probably Will Leave There for Canada and England Within Few Days.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Arthur J. Balfour, British Foreign Secretary, and members of the British mission returned to Washington shortly before 8 a. m. today, from their three-day visit to New York City. They plan to remain here for several days before

leaving, probably for Canada and England. The members of the mission were enthusiastic over the warmth of their reception in New York, which they left last night on a special train. Mr. Balfour probably within the next two or three days will receive the reports of the eight joint subcommittees on trade matters, shipping, hospital work, intelligence, munitions, materials and, on sending an American army to Europe. The committees have been working over the week-end while the principal members of the mission were in New York.



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ENLISTED MEN FOR ARMY CHAUFFERS

They Are Taking Place of Civilians and Will Have Extensive Training.

FORT SAM HOUSTON, Tex., May 14.—The Quartermaster's Department of the United States Army has adopted the policy of replacing civilian drivers of motor trucks with enlisted men as rapidly as possible. Nearly all the touring cars in the service of the army's officers are already driven by enlisted men, although only a few months ago most were civilians.

In explaining this policy, Maj. J. F. Maddon, in charge of this branch of the service here under the direction of Col. H. L. Rogers, Chief Quartermaster of the Southern Department, said:

"In case we employed civilian drivers and one of these was hurt the Government could do nothing for him. He would not be eligible for pension and he could not get the care that an enlisted man could be given. When enlisted men are injured they are given the best of care at the base hospitals and they enjoy many other attentions that civilians cannot secure under law."

There is no trouble in obtaining enlisted men to handle the motors and for machine shop work, according to Maj. Maddon. If a civilian, who is an expert mechanic or an expert driver appears and applies for work he is told to enlist and in the majority of cases the applicants do so.

A new feature of automobile company work has been installed at Fort Sam Houston. Motor truck companies are to be given three-month tours of active service. Each company will, in turn, be sent on a 90-day trip along the border. The company will be ordered back to the base here for three months of instruction in operation and repair work. The large new shops at Fort Sam Houston are being operated day and night placing the motor trucks in perfect condition for field service.

Titled Youth a Persistent Slacker. LONDON, May 14.—Stephen Hobhouse, son of the Right Hon. Henry Hobhouse, who has already served one term of four months at hard labor for refusal to obey a military order, has again been court-martialed on a similar charge and sent to prison.

SOCIETY

MISS ALMA SIMON'S wedding dress will be trimmed with some rare old lace which belonged to her grandmother, the late Mrs. Edward Sterling, when she married Elmore McNeill Bonwick this afternoon.

The dress is a draped model of white meteor satin, with an overskirt of tulle appliqued with silver tissue flowers. The long train is of tulle and the bodice slightly draped with a deep "V" back and front. It is filled in with tulle and finished with lace. The veil is of tulle, worn with a silver band.

She will carry a round bouquet of lilies of the valley and gardenias with a few streamers of narrow gauze ribbon knotted with lilies.

The ceremony will be at 5 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral with the reception immediately afterward at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. McKittick.

Miss Elizabeth Simon, the bride's sister will be maid of honor, and Miss Margaret McKittick, the bride's cousin, will be bridesmaid. They will wear frocks of tulle, one pink, the other blue, and hats of silver gray trimmed with tiny flowers shading from pink to blue, and orchid.

The maid of honor with the pink gown will carry a bouquet of blue delphinium and the bridesmaid will carry yellow and white anemones.

The bridegroom's brother, Andrew Lion Bonwick, will be his best man, and the groomsmen will be Harold Tittman, George Mather Brown, Horace Swope, Morgan Nugent, Henry Cushman and E. Roland Wilson of Peoria, Ill.

The decorations at the house will be in colored flowers, Ophelia roses in the dining room, pink anemones, pink tulips and bridal wreath in the reception room and quantities of growing plants everywhere.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fitzhugh Simon. Her mother and Mrs. McKittick are sisters, daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sterling, of St. Louis and Redlands, Cal., and relatives of Joseph H. Choate, once Ambassador to Great Britain.

Mr. Bonwick is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Bonwick of St. Louis. The Rev. Rollin A. Sawyer of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church of Harrisburg, Pa., the brother of Mrs. Bonwick, is here to officiate at the ceremony. The bridegroom is a graduate of Yale, '16, and served with the American Ambulance Field Corps last summer in France and was awarded the Croix de Guerre.

Mr. Bonwick and his bride will occupy the Bonwick residence in Vandeventer place upon their return from their wedding trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence D. Johnson of 6237 McPherson avenue have gone to White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., for about 10 days.

Former Judge and Mrs. Henry S. Priest of 4222 Westminster place have returned from New York and White Sulphur Springs, where they went several weeks ago.

Miss Stella Schneider and her niece, Miss Yvonne Merrill, gave a luncheon Saturday at the Country Club in honor of Miss Emille Cabanne, whose engagement to Lieut. John Murray Jenkins Jr., U. S. A., was recently announced. Among the guests were Misses Theodora Nugent, Isabel Cabanne and Mrs. Douglas Houser. Miss Schneider's engagement to Robert A. Barnes Walsh was announced last week.

Alexandria, Minn., will have a large St. Louis colony, some of whom have already gone there to open their cottages. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mansur, Mr. and Mrs. William Dee Becker and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scarritt and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Blackmore and their family will go in June. Mrs. Blodgett Priest and the L. D. Cabannes have already gone.

MRS. LEATHE'S ATTORNEY IN \$1,000,000 CLAIM QUITS CASE

She Asks for Amount in Payment for Services as Administrator of Estate.

Attorney William C. Marshall, in the Probate Court today, formally withdrew as counsel for Mrs. Grace A. Leathe in the prosecution of her claim against the estate of her husband, Samuel H. Leathe, for \$1,000,000 alleged to be due her as payment for services as administrator of the estate.

A hearing on the claim had been set for today but following Attorney Marshall's withdrawal Judge Holtkamp said he would personally study Mrs. Leathe's report and claim and pass on it later.

The principal objector is Mrs. Elizabeth Knisley, who holds a judgment for \$20,000 against the Leathe estate. Her attorneys have held that the allowing of Mrs. Leathe's claim would make Mrs. Knisley's judgment worthless.

Attorney Marshall's explanation of his withdrawal was that he and Mrs. Leathe could not agree on certain matters connected with her claim.

FORMER MADISON COUNTY CORONER ADJUDGED INSANE

J. Morgan Sims of Collinsville Coroner of Madison County until last January, was adjudged insane in the county Court at Edwardsville today and ordered committed to the State Hospital.

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- About 65 Suits of fine silk taffeta are included.



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Tuesday is Coupon Day. None of the following goods sold at these prices unless Coupon is presented. No mail, phone or C. O. D. orders taken.

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<p>Linoleum A large selection of room-size Remnants Felt Linoleum; two yards wide; choice hardwood, fancy block effects with coupon, sq. yard... 23c</p>	<p>ST. LOUIS BARGAIN CENTER Penny & Gentles BROADWAY & MORGAN ST. \$2 Rugs Grass Matting Rugs, size 3x3 ft., beautiful stenciled patterns of blue, green, tan, brown, etc., with coupon... \$1.25</p>
<p>This Coupon Worth \$5.13 Women's \$10 Suits All good practical styles; made of wool, gabardine, serge and novelty cloths. \$4.88</p>	<p>This Coupon Worth \$3.03 Women's \$6 Coats Full belted models, with large collars, in plain, fancy checks or solid color serge. \$2.97</p>
<p>This Coupon Worth 25c Boys' 50c Shirts Harmony Percales; sizes 12 1/2 to 14, without collar; a real 50c value... 27c</p>	<p>This Coupon Worth 25c Women's 65c Silk Hose Fancy Silk Hose, in all the wanted shades, including bronze and tans; pair. 29c</p>
<p>This Coupon Worth \$1.81 Boys' \$4 Suits The greatest bargain of the season; latest boys' suits, latest models; some are wool... \$2.19</p>	<p>This Coupon Worth 51c Boys' \$1.00 Straw Hats In black, white, brown blue, etc.; latest styles; with coupon... 49c</p>
<p>This Coupon Worth 25c Whittemore's 25c Shuclean Dressing for white shoes, nubuck, canvas, kid or calf... 25c</p>	<p>This Coupon Worth \$1.05 \$2.50 Pink Corsets Pink broadened, newest model, double boned; \$2.50 value... \$1.45</p>
<p>This Coupon Worth 14c 39c Crepe de Chine Broadened designs; special, with coupon Tuesday, in Basement, per yard... 25c</p>	<p>This Coupon Worth 15 1/2c 3-12 1/2c Towels Heavy huck, bright red borders, fringed ends; size 18x36; 3 for... 25c</p>
<p>This Coupon Worth 5c 15c Cheviot Gingham In remnants; special Tuesday with coupon (in Basement), yard... 10c</p>	<p>This Coupon Worth 10c 25c Mercerized Poplins Silk Mercerized Poplins, with coupon, in Basement, per yard... 15c</p>
<p>This Coupon Worth 30c \$1.25 Silk Taffeta Yard wide; Taffeta silk; Chiffon finish, fast black, yard... 95c</p>	<p>This Coupon Worth 25c 7 1/2c Bleached Toweling Twilled bleached Crash; both edges are fast silvage; with coupon, yard... 43c</p>
<p>This Coupon Worth 61c 95c Pebble Weave Coatings 54 inches wide; for children's coats; colors green, navy and black; blue... 44c</p>	<p>This Coupon Worth 51c 75c Bleached Sheets Heavy, bleached, hemmed; size 72x90; all perfect; special with coupon... 55c</p>
<p>\$1.98 Screen Doors Any size, with coupon... \$1.29</p>	<p>45c Screen Windows 32 inch wide; will fit any window up to 37 inches; with coupon... 29c</p>

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FOOD CONSERVATION SCHOOL IS OPENED WITH 350 PRESENT

Society Women and Their Cooks Enrolled for Instruction in Some Classes.

The first session of the Central Normal School of Food Conservation opened at 10:45 o'clock this morning in the auditorium of the St. Louis Medical Society, 252 West Pine boulevard. A gathering of about 350 was present, ranging from society matrons and misses to cooks sent by their employers to take the course.

The school was organized by Mrs. Eugene T. Senseney, chairman of the educational section of the Woman's Central Committee on Food Conservation, the committee being a section of the Chamber of Commerce. It is said to be the first institution of the kind in the United States.

The course will consist of a series of lectures on six days this week and three next week, by well-known authorities on the subject of economics, domestic science, household management and food conservation. The cost of admission to a single lecture is 50 cents; a season ticket, costs \$5.

One negro woman was present, proud to display a season ticket, purchased for her by her employer, Mrs. Charles Cummings Collins of 30 Lenox place. Mrs. David R. Francis' cook also appeared with a season ticket.

Among those in the gathering were Mrs. Sidney Francis, Mrs. Harry Clark-Potter, Mrs. Morrison Fuller, Mrs. W. C. Fordyce, Mrs. Churchill Whittemore, and Misses Kitty Guy, Grace Taylor, Edith Skipworth, Ann Farrar and

Edith Whittemore. The speakers today were Miss Mary E. Bulkley, who talked on "Women as a Buyer in General," and Robert G. Gould, editor of the American Food Journal of Chicago, who discussed the science of food production and distribution. Miss Bulkley traced the course of food from the producer through the various middlemen to the consumer, pointed out what profits of the middlemen are legitimate and what are not, and suggested methods of economy in buying.

Gould, who is a member of a Government commission appointed to inquire into the butter and oleomargarine industry, said the country now most needed a science of marketing to aid it in the better dissemination of its crops. Such science was not needed during the periods when the crops were largely in excess of needs, but has become necessary since this country is confronted with the problems of feeding not only itself, but its allies and all the neutrals well.

He pointed out that the problem of transportation in all probability had a great deal to do with stringencies in the food line, as the transportation facilities of the country had practically broken down. At present railroad companies get about 7 per cent of the ultimate cost of products to consumers, and better results might be had by allowing them more.

Gould advocated support for the Lever bill, now before Congress, which would strengthen the hand of the President and the Department of Agriculture in handling the food supply of the country during the war. He urged the extension of food supply by strict attention of the housewife to the matter of dietary, advocating the use of substitutes for the more expensive food products. He cautioned against adopting measures so stringent that business depression might develop, explaining it was not desirable that panics should result from the lack of proper market conditions.

Gould declared that women knew more about the value of foodstuffs than men, and that after the war they should take more interest than heretofore in legislation to regulate prices and distributing methods.

LID WARRANT REFUSED FOR WORKHOUSE CHIEF

Evidence in Eagles' Club Raid and Arrest of H. N. Morgan and J. A. Smithers Insufficient.

Prosecuting Attorney Sidener today refused to issue warrants, charging the sale of liquor without a license, against H. N. Morgan, newly appointed Superintendent of the Workhouse, and John A. Smithers, an undertaker, who were arrested last night in a raid on the Eagles' Club, Jefferson and Lafayette avenues. Sidener held that the evidence submitted by the police was insufficient.

Four other men were arrested along with Morgan and Smithers. According to Sidener, the police did not show, as they charged, that drinks were being sold or that Smithers was acting as bartender. Morgan is president of the club and lives with his wife on the third floor of the building.

The prospective Superintendent of the Workhouse, who was formerly an actor, related facetiously to a Post-Dispatch reporter the circumstances attending the arrest and his duration of an hour in a cell.

"Joking When Police Came," "Smithers had just asked me," he said, "whether I would give him a private cell when he came to the workhouse, and I told him I would reserve one for his special use. Then policemen rushed in and seized us. "At the South Street Police Station I started to explain to Capt. Gaffney, but he shouted: 'Look 'em up like anybody else.' When we got in the cell, I thought I had a fine opportunity to put into practice my golden rule, of doing a kind action every day. Two of the men arrested at the club were visiting Eagles from Milwaukee. They needed consolation, so I told them they would certainly

be sentenced to two years in the penitentiary."

"After an hour a bondman came, and asked me what Smithers had done. You know Smithers is a prominent worker at Christ Church Cathedral; he is 60 years old and had never been arrested before in his life. He was feeling pretty blue, so I told the bondman he was charged with murder. Smithers was so cheered up that he 'nearly fainted.'"

Morgan declared that the Eagles' Club is not a lid club, and that drinks are served only to members. He said it has a large membership of city officials, including Collector Koehn. He ascribed the raid to pique on the part of the South Street District Police. There were many thefts of articles during the winter from automobiles standing in front

of the club, Morgan said, and he complained without effect to the police of the district. Finally he appealed to Chief Allender, and several arrests were made and some of the property recovered.

"I expected to go to work at the workhouse Wednesday at a salary of \$100 a month," Morgan concluded his recital. "For a while it looked as if I'd have to go to work there on the rock pile without pay."

The Cambridge Hotel, 515½ St. Charles street, and the Pullman Hotel, 1500 Pine street, were raided. Several couples were arrested and liquor was confiscated.

Several social clubs and rooming houses also were raided and altogether about 75 persons were arrested.

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50c Union Suits 39c

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(Second Floor.)

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Pumps—come with high or low heels—in all sizes—pair

(Main Floor.)

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(Second Floor—The Lindell.)

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to the report of Frank Wyman, treasurer, at the organization's forty-eight annual meeting, yesterday, at the Odeon. Bishop Tuttle made a patriotic address. The following officers were elected: F. J. McAlester, president; Walker Hill, vice president; Frank Wyman, treasurer; W. P. Nelson, secretary; and J. N. Bull, assistant secretary.

ORCHESTRA BACK FROM 3800-MILE TOUR OF 7 STATES

Director Zach's Men Played 32
Concerts in Three Weeks Before
50,000 Persons.

NOT FINANCIAL SUCCESS

Chamber of Commerce Will
Have to Pay Part of \$10,000
Guarantee.

Director Max Zach and 52 members of the Symphony Orchestra arrived in the city this morning after a tour of three weeks, which, although not a financial success, had the result of establishing the organization as "the official orchestra of the Southwest," in the words of Manager Arthur J. Gaines.

The musicians traveled 3800 miles and gave 32 concerts before 50,000 persons in the seven states of Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and Nebraska. The orchestra's longest previous tour was only 40 days. The largest cities visited were New Orleans, Little Rock, Shreveport, Houston, Austin, Paris, Muskogee, Tulsa, Lincoln and Omaha.

The tour was made possible by a guarantee of \$10,000 pledged by the Chamber of Commerce to cover any deficit that might accrue. A proportion of this pledge will be called upon, Gaines said, but the amount will not be known until the final accounts of the trip are made out.

On the other hand, he declared, there is no question that the city obtained much valuable advertising from the tour.

I talked with business men in all the towns we visited," said Manager Gaines, "and found they were greatly impressed by the fact that the Chamber of Commerce was behind the tour. They expressed admiration that a commercial body should have the public spirit to back up an artistic proposition of this kind. In some of the towns our visits were managed by commercial organizations—in Little Rock the Chamber of Commerce and in Paris the Rotary Club handled our contracts. In practically all of the towns we are sure, unless the war interferes, of re-engagements next year."

"In fact, I believe the organization has established itself as the official orchestra of the Southwest. I hope we shall be able to go out and cover the same territory next spring."

The orchestra felt the effect of hard times and the war scare, Gaines continued. When it arrived at Lawrence, Kan., he said, it found that the university had lost 800 students, through enlistments and through farmers withdrawing their sons from the school.

In an artistic way, the manager continued, the orchestra made an excellent impression, being received everywhere with enthusiasm. This was especially true, he said, in Lincoln, where the town had previously sworn by Walter Damrosch's New York Symphony Orchestra; and in Lawrence, where the Minneapolis orchestra had been the reigning favorite.

New Pieces Presented.

This was in part due to Director Zach's policy in presenting works unfamiliar in the section visited, Gaines explained. The chief compositions played on the tour were Rimsky-Korsakov's "Spanish Capriccio," at the conclusion of every concert the orchestra, standing, played the "Star-Spangled Banner."

The orchestra took part in several choral productions. At Little Rock, aiding the Festival Chorus of that city, it participated in Thomas "The Swan and the Skylark," and in a concert version of the entire opera of "Faust." At Benton, Tex., it took part in a production of Haydn's "Creation," and at Tarkio, Mo., in a presentation of Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise." In the orchestra's successes a share was taken by three soloists who accompanied it on the tour—Arthur Hackett, tenor; Charles Gallagher, basso; and Leonora Allen, soprano.

Director Zach will spend a week here, and then go for the summer to his home in Boston, where his elder son, Leon, is in training at the officers' reserve camp at Harvard. His second son, Philip, applied for admission at the camp but was below the age limit.

BOMB FOUND IN GERMAN PALACE
Contained Enough Dynamite to Wreck Kaiser's Residence.
PARIS, May 14.—An infernal machine was discovered recently in the Bellevue Palace in the Tiergarten Berlin, where the imperial German family is residing, according to a correspondent who sends German news to L'Humanite.

The machine, he says, contained enough dynamite to wreck the palace and the adjoining buildings.

ALL BRANDS OF SEWING MACHINES, 75c A WEEK

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Women's and children's hats, up to \$1.00, Tuesday, per hat, 10c.

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25-inch Black Silk Poplin; jet black; extra quality and weight—suitable for dresses and suits; per yard, 69c.

SHOES
Women's \$2.50-\$3.00 shoes, in gunmetal or patent, lace or button style, high or low heels, sizes 5 1/2 to 8, \$1.00. Main Floor.

Children's \$2.00
Black leather pumps, in gunmetal and canvas, sizes up to 11, \$1.00. Main Floor.

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A large assortment of all colors in good opaque and tinted shades, guaranteed complete with fixtures (2d Floor), 75c.

\$15 ROOM RUGS
Size 9x12 wool and Scotch Brussels Rugs in variety of very handsome designs of light and dark colors, \$12.50 Velvet Rugs; size 9x12 in range of very beautiful designs; light and dark colors; heavy grade velvet; not more than two to each customer. \$14.50.

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Big Stock Must Be Moved.
500 Trimmed Hats, Good Quality
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So nearly perfect is the service which 'Royal Cords' are giving that the demand for them is straining our factories to their capacity.
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—that its amazing sales increases are a daily demonstration of the amount of "make-good" which is packed into the construction of the 'Nobby'.
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LOST 74 POUNDS IN GERMAN PRISON CAMP

Briton Became 'Living Skeleton'; Three Soldiers Escape, Tell of Bad Treatment by Enemy.

Correspondence of Associated Press. WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, May 1.—Three British soldiers who have just escaped from a German prison camp a few miles back of the fighting lines tell a pitiable story of their treatment by the enemy. They declared there was a great deal of sickness in the camp, due to fatigue and starvation.

"If we showed the slightest disposition to go sick," said one of the men to the correspondent of the Associated Press today, "we were either thrashed with whips or struck with the butt end of a rifle."

Although this soldier had been in enemy hands only three months, he had dropped in weight from 182 pounds to 56. He was a "living skeleton." His feet had been frozen and were gangrenous for lack of treatment.

The men had neither overcoats nor blankets during the coldest weather of the winter. When captured during a raid they wore leather jackets. These the Germans took from them immediately. They also stripped the rubber lining from their shrapnel helmets and took away their regimental badges for the brass in them.

One soldier, during the perilous trip across No Man's Land at the end of the escape, was badly wounded.

For food the prisoners received daily a quarter loaf of bread, one plate of thin soup and about every second day a cup of weak coffee substitute. On a few occasions they had a bit of meat about the size of a lump of sugar. Recently the men were compelled to work so near the front that they came under shell fire from the British guns. This was an exceptional instance, however, they said.

The French prisoners, on the other hand, are constantly employed just back of the firing line and suffer many casualties. In their camp, however, the French prisoners are better treated than the English.

It was strange to hear this story, in view of the sleek appearance of the German prisoners in English hands, all well fed, well nourished, paid for their bits of labor and permitted to buy comforts at the canteens under the same conditions as the Tommies.

BOY AND HIS PARENTS ARE GOING INTO SERVICE

Boy Will Be a Soldier, Father an Engineer and Mother Offers as Telegrapher.

RUSHVILLE, Ind., May 14.—Since A. E. Stewart, City Engineer, has offered his services as a civil engineer to the National Council of Defense, Mrs. Stewart, who formerly was a telegraph operator, has written to Daniel Willard, chairman of the Transportation and Communication Committee of the Council of Defense, that she will serve in the capacity of a telegrapher if she is needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart's only child, Simon Stewart, who is a student at Purdue University, expects to enlist when a company is formed there. Mrs. Stewart wrote the following letter to Senator Watson, asking his assistance.

"Dear Mr. Watson: I am glad to go if accepted. I feel as though I might be as useful to my country in my capacity as he is in his. Consequently I have written Daniel Willard, chairman of the Transportation and Communication Committee, National Council of Defense, offering my services because of my ability and experience as a telegrapher. I was not a bit backward either in telling him of a few other ways in which I might render service in this crisis. I want to go with the first and stay until the last Prussian has his due—what can you do for me?"



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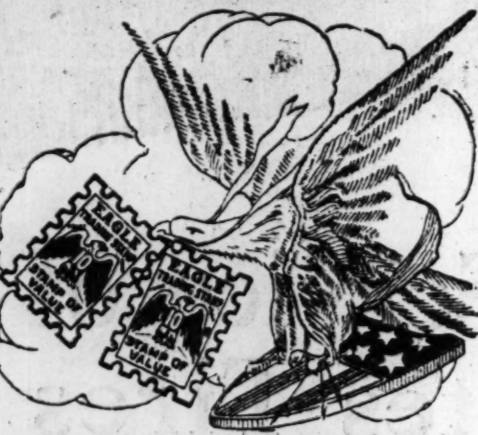
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This announcement concerns an excellent assortment of Men's Shirts—an assortment so good in quality and so large in variety that you can safely provide an extra supply for future use. All of these Shirts have laundered cuffs; and they should have reached us in January, but they didn't. Consequently, we're ready to make a substantial sacrifice for a quick close-out.

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—offers about 4800 Shirts—all with laundered cuffs. Made of genuine Lartex cloth, in many rich patterns and attractive colors. Guaranteed to wash perfectly, and to fit accurately. All sizes from 14 to 17—an exceptional value from every viewpoint at

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Boys' Wash Suits—Hats to Match

New—BRAND NEW! Made of fast-color zephyrs, and galateas, in eight attractive patterns. Junior, Norfolk styles, with straight knee pants. Rah-Rah Hats to match. Sizes 2½ to 9. A special Tuesday feature at

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Second Floor

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Blue serges—plenty of them! Blue, brown and green flannels—wanted by scores of men! Silk-mixed worsteds—always dressy! And so on, until you have counted a host of substantial weaves and an army of new patterns and colorings. Every size—from short to tall—slim to stout. And a value that is possible only because of our purchasing power.

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Second Floor

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Third Floor



\$5.95 Traveling Kimonos

New—Convenient

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\$2 KIMONOS

\$1.48

These are of fancy crepe, in light and dark colors. The collars and sleeves are trimmed with a satin ruffle, and the elastic waistline adds to the fitting qualities of the garment. Cut full and long, and in many colors.

Third Floor

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- Leonard porcelain lined Refrigerators, all styles and sizes, one piece linings \$14.95 to \$45.45
- Lawn Mowers, plain and ball bearing \$3.25 to \$8.45
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- \$13.50 Motor water power Washing Machines \$10.95
- Sellers' sanitary Kitchen Cabinets, porcelain tops \$32.75 to \$37.75
- \$1.50 24-lb. Family Household Scales \$1.39
- \$1.85 9-inch Hedge Shears \$1.39
- \$4.05 5-qt. Aladdin Aluminum Teakettles \$2.95
- \$3.75 1-qt. Thermos Bottles \$2.75
- \$5.45 Clothes Wringers \$4.40
- \$1.95 30-inch Opal Glass Towel Bars \$1.44
- Bridge & Beach combination Gas and Coal Ranges \$70.00
- Poultry Wire, 2-inch mesh, 150-ft. rolls 4 ft. high, per roll \$3.85 5 ft. high, per roll \$4.95
- 75c Glass Household Churns, 45c \$1.75 large size Household Chamois \$1.39
- \$3.10 16-in. Floor Push Brooms \$2.45
- \$2.50 4-panel Screen Doors, in 2 sizes \$1.50
- High grade House Paints, all colors 1 qt. 65c, ½ gal. \$1.10, 1 gal. \$2.00.

Basement Gallery

Featured for Tuesday \$42.50 Axminster Rugs, \$36.50

Sanford's Beauvais Axminsters—seamless—9x12 ft.—unequaled for beauty and service by any other Axminster Rug. In new Oriental and allover patterns.

\$35 Seamless Axminsters, \$26.75
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Size 11x12, suitable for extra large rooms; choice selection of Oriental and floral patterns.

85c 4-Yd. Wide Linoleum, Sq. Yd., 69c

Will cover a large room without a seam; a beautiful line of patterns, suitable for any room.

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Fourth Floor

\$30 Poster Beds



Tuesday Special \$19.75

Mahogany finish—full or ¾ size—4-in. posts—massive appearance. A splendid value.

\$22 Springs, \$16.50

For wood or iron beds—regular sizes—covered with heavy, striped ticking.

\$35 Mattresses, \$22.75

Genuine HAIR Mattresses—weighing 40 lbs.—full size—covered with excellent fancy ticking.

Fourth Floor

Tuesday in the Basement Economy Store Mill Sample Curtain Sale

A prominent Philadelphia Mill sold us its surplus stock of discontinued patterns of Lace Curtains at less than cost of manufacture, which saving we share with you tomorrow.

\$3.98 to \$4.98 Lace Curtains

Filet nets, Cable nets and Scotch nets, also Marquisettes and voile, with lace edges to match—white, cream and ecru. In some instances one Curtain of a pattern is slightly soiled—Tuesday pair \$2.98

\$2.00 and \$2.50 Lace Curtains, \$1.38

Scotch lace, marquisette, voile with lace edges and insertions—2½, 3 and 3½ yards long—36 to 50 inches wide—white, cream and ecru.

75c to \$1.00 Curtains, 55c Pair

Including lace and voile, with lace edges. All sizes in white and ecru.

25c to 35c Curtain Laces, 18c Yard

40 and 45 inches wide, filet and Scotch Laces, cut from full pieces. Also extra quality in window lengths—in white, cream and ecru.

18c Marquisettes, 12½c Yd.

Mercerized—1 to 15 yard lengths—white, cream and ecru.

19c to 30c Cretonnes Remnants, 15c

1 to 5 yard lengths—many pieces match.

25c Madras, 18c

Scotch Madras, in ecru and colored floral patterns, also plain white.

40c Art Cretonnes, 28c

Slightly imperfect—many patterns and combinations—some reversible.

Basement Economy Store

Wall Paper Special

Choice of 25 new patterns in 20c Bedroom Papers, with dainty cut-out borders and bands; Tuesday, 11c a roll.

Fourth Floor

PLAYING CARDS

Made especially for us—of good materials, ivory finish. This low price can not prevail if the proposed war tax is approved.

Main Floor, Aisle 10

Famous and Barr Co. Entire Block: Olive, Locust, Sixth and Seventh

We Give Eagle Stamps and Modern Full Books for \$1 in Cash | Largest Distributors of Merchandise at or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted. Retail in Missouri or the West.

Homes or Investments

Post-Dispatch Real Estate pages present desirable offers to select from. More than 5000 offers Sunday.
71,694 Real Estate and Want Ads were printed in the Post-Dispatch during April.
1110 More than appeared in the FOUR other St. Louis newspapers COMBINED.

PAGES 13-20.

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

ST. LOUIS, MONDAY EVENING, MAY 14, 1917.—PART TWO.

The Clean-Up Help You Need

Rug and Carpet cleaners, repairers, decorators and painters are listed under "Business Cards" in Post-Dispatch Wants.
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PAGES 13-20.

MAN, 78, FATALLY INJURED BY AN AUTO

Struck When Crossing Street and His Skull Fractured—Three Other Sunday Accidents.

George Smilie, 78 years old, of 4014 Olive street, died in the Deaconess Hospital at 2:30 this morning from injuries inflicted by an automobile which knocked him down at 10 o'clock last night in front of 2901 Olive street. The accident was one of four reported to the police yesterday.

Smilie lived with his daughter, Mrs. Jessie Mulvey. He was crossing the street when he was struck by an automobile driven by Emil C. Ritter Jr., 29 of 223 Bailey avenue. His skull was fractured. Ritter was arrested and held on a common law bond for the coroner's inquest.

Patrolman John Hughes of 2905 Whittier street was struck by an automobile when he walked from behind a west-bound Wellington car in front of the Deer Street Station. His head was cut, and his skull is believed to have been fractured. The driver of the machine, J. Bernhardt of 5414 North Market street, was arrested.

John Windich, 35, of 2917 North Ninth street, was crossing the railroad tracks at Angelica street when struck by an automobile belonging to Theo. Schilling of 4088 Natural Bridge road. Schilling was not in the car, and the police did not learn the driver's name. Windich was cut about the head and back.

Edward Hart, 26, of 219 Portia avenue, and his brother Frank, 27, of 1916 Geyer avenue, were riding in a delivery car, Edward driving, when the car overturned on Arsenal street, near Spring avenue. Both were bruised. Edward Hart was arrested on a traffic law charge, as it appeared that the machine was running on the wrong side of the street, and his brother was arrested for an alleged attempt to interfere with the policeman who arrested Edward.

Germany to Restrict Travel.

AMSTERDAM, May 14.—The sale of railroad tickets at Berlin will be restricted from May 16 to May 23, according to a dispatch from that city. Germans are requested to refrain from using the railroads for pleasure trips, as it is explained, trains and engines will be needed for the armies and for war services generally.



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No matter what your occupation may be, if you wish to keep trim and fit, you should guard against the dangers of constipation. Remember, too, that PLUTO is more than a wonderfully helpful cure; it is the treatment of kidney, liver and stomach troubles, rheumatism and nervous disorders.

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CHRISTMAS FUND WOMEN ENLIST AS NAVY YEOMAN



MISS MABELLE VOGEL.

MISS MABELLE VOGEL of 5159 Raymond avenue, who for several years has been in charge of the Post-Dispatch Christmas fund headquarters, is organizing a group of women to aid the navy recruiting office here in enlisting its full quota. Thus far the local office has secured only 50 per cent of the desired number.

Miss Vogel expects to call on those who have contributed to the Post-Dispatch Christmas fund to assist her in the work of getting out the recruits. She has been enlisted by the Navy Department as a fourth-class yeoman.

Knights of Pythias Raise Flag.
A large crowd attended a flag raising ceremony yesterday afternoon at the Knights of Pythias Drill Corps Hall, Sidney street and Iowa avenue. A parade preceded the exercises.

MORE POLICEMEN IN DANGER OF SUSPENSION

Inquiry in Salary Bill Collection Tomorrow May Involve Other Members of Force.

Developments at tomorrow afternoon's hearing, by the Police Board, of charges against six suspended policemen, members of the salary sub-committee of the Executive Committee of the Police Relief Association, will determine whether charges are to be preferred against other members of the Executive Committee. It was announced at headquarters today.

The six members of the salary sub-committee are charged with having knowledge of the special levy of \$5 a man which it was attempted to make on all patrolmen, sergeants and detectives, for the purpose of paying off some mysterious obligation in connection with the passage of the police salary increase bill by the Legislature.

Members of the Executive Committee have professed ignorance of this levy and have said the matter was wholly in the hands of the salary subcommittee. The members of the subcommittee will be questioned particularly on this point.

Charges of disobedience and making a false report rest against the six members of the salary subcommittee, who are Sergt. Stephen Collins and Patrolmen William McCormack, John Sanders, John McCaffrey, Charles Dumont and Ray Cummins. Cummins was suspended two weeks ago, and the others were suspended Saturday.

The hearing tomorrow afternoon will begin at 2 o'clock, in the Police Board room, and will be open to the public. City Counselor Daves will represent the board and the policemen will have the privilege of being represented by counsel.

DR. MAUZE TO RESIGN SUNDAY

Decides to Accept Call From Church at Huntington, W. Va.

The Rev. J. Layton Mauze will read his resignation next Sunday to his congregation at Central Presbyterian Church, Delmar boulevard and Clara avenue, where he has been pastor for 15 years. He has decided to accept a call from a church in Huntington, W. Va. Dr. Mauze has been active in Evangelistic work, and was prominent in the movement to bring Billy Sunday to St. Louis next year.

100 DEPART ON TRADE TOUR

St. Louis Party Will Visit 48 Towns in Southwest.

About 100 St. Louis business men departed last night on the St. Louis sales managers' trade extension tour. They will visit 48 towns in the Southwest, principally in Oklahoma.

The tour is under the direction of Robert E. Lee, secretary of the Sales Managers' Bureau. The party will return next Sunday.

Zionists Want Independent Palestine.
At a Zionist mass meeting, held yesterday in the Jewish Synagogue at Fifteenth and Wash streets, a resolution was adopted demanding "a publicly secured and legally recognized home in Palestine" for Jews. Because of the present democratic tendencies in the world, particularly the Russian revolution, it is declared that this program should be acceptable to all the allied nations.

Waterworks Car Hurts Man.
John Buschke, 46, of 8973 Hall's Ferry road, was hit by a car of the municipal waterworks line, at Moline Creek, at 9 o'clock last night. Several ribs were fractured. He was sent to the city hospital.

Burglars Hammer Off Safe Door.
Burglars carried an iron safe from the barroom to an adjoining room in the saloon of Ernest Elchoff, 72 North Broadway, last night, and hammered off the door. About \$120 was taken.

CHILD HURT IN FALL WHEN MOTHER AND AUNT QUARREL

Girl, Three Years Old, Drops From Second Story Porch; Women Put in Observation Ward.

While Mrs. Rose Kowalski, 36 years old, and her sister, Mrs. Nonie Sartoski, 26, both of 1516 North Fifteenth street, were quarreling last night at the home of their stepfather, John Lubinski, 1227 North Twelfth street, Anna Hall, 3-year-old daughter of Mrs. Sartoski, fell from a second-floor porch. A few seconds later Mrs. Kowalski fell to the sidewalk from the same porch.

Policemen, summoned by neighbors, found the sisters and the baby on the sidewalk. The women were hysterical and accusing each other of having "started the trouble." They were rushed to the city hospital, where the sisters were held prisoners. The baby was suffering from concussion of the brain and internal hurts. The women were placed in the observation ward, neither being injured.

The sisters would not discuss the fight. Shrieks were their only replies to the questions of policemen.

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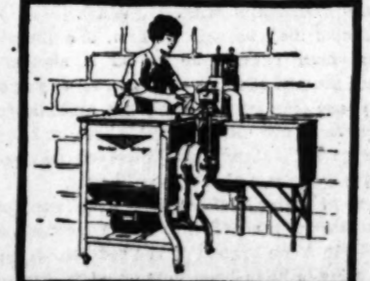
Putting Clothes in Washer
Putting the clothes in the Gainaday after filling the tub up to water line with boiling water and adding soap. All collar and wrist bands, as well as any specially soiled parts, should be well soaped.



After 20 Min. Washing Start Wringer
Starting the wringer after the washing machine has been running from 12 to 20 minutes. Wringer has a safety latch.



Wringing Clothes into Rinse Water
Wringing the clothes into the rinse water. Machine is then ready for the second batch of clothes.



From Rinse Water to Blue Water
Wringing the clothes from rinse water to blue water. Strong motor operates washer and wringer at the same time.



From Blue Water to Basket
Wringing the clothes from blue water to basket with the wringer in the third position. The next batch of clothes can now be taken through the same process.

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\$5 DOWN and Small Monthly Payments

and you'll own one of these wonderfully practical machines. The \$5 down payment may be made after the trial. Each month's saving in time, labor and wear and tear on your clothes helps pay the balance. In this way the machine quickly pays for itself. Remember, that by seeing this washing demonstration in your home and by using the Gainaday yourself on the next washday, you will have the privilege of returning the machine without obligation.

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I would be pleased to have a demonstration in my home on

"Use Gas but Save It, and Cut Cost of Living"

Miss Chamberlin Gives Cooking Rules

Do Not Turn on All the Heat of a Gas Range With the Idea That the Liquid Will Boil Faster—This Method Is but a Waste of Fuel.

Gas Is Wasted Because Enough Gas to Hold the Boiling Point Will Cook the Vegetables in Just the Same Time as if a Higher Pressure Were Used.

By ALICE ADAMS CHAMBERLIN
Head of the Domestic Science Department of Mary Institute.

"USE gas but save it," is an advertisement we see these days, and a good one it is. Household ranges have different arrangements for burners and cocks. The most convenient and economically arranged, if intelligently used, are those that have four grades of heat for the top burners. Each grade should have a cock, to be used either singly or in combination. This arrangement is a time saver, in that the boiling point may be quickly reached, and then the gas reduced by turning out one of the burners. The size of the burner used depends on the quantity of liquid to be boiled.

Many persons think that by turning on all the heat, thus making the liquid boil violently, potatoes, etc., will cook that much faster. If one realizes that water, unless under pressure, cannot be raised to a higher temperature than boiling point, 212 degrees F., it is evident that any additional heat after boiling point is reached is only wasted.

It does not hasten cooking and often wastes material. When boiling potatoes has been reached, it requires a surprisingly small amount of gas to keep that temperature. How often the following conditions occur: a teakettle of water over a double burner; the water boiling furiously and gas on full; the flame to be seen away up on the sides of the kettle. When the water in the kettle was boiling, the kettle should have been put on the simmering burner, and even then that should generally be lowered.

How Gas Is Wasted

In Cooking Vegetables
Another common instance of this kind is when potatoes, cauliflower, in fact almost any vegetable is being boiled so rapidly that they are being broken and mashed. Gas is wasted, because enough gas to keep the boiling point will cook the vegetables in just the same time, and the vegetables will be much better cooked than when so violently boiled. Meats cooked in water are in most cases boiled instead of simmered. Gas is wasted and the meat is by no means cooked at its best.

The oven should have two burners, each with a cock. In many instances when baking, start with either a low heat or a cold oven; increase the heat toward the last, and turn out both burners the last five minutes of baking. When roasting, start with a hot oven, and when the meat is seared, turn out the back burner, or lower both.

If the gas stove is so arranged, plan to use the heat of the oven for baking when broiling, or vice versa.

A small portable oven will more than pay for itself in a short time. What is the use of heating the large oven when a small one will do the work? A small oven placed over a small top burner. This not only saves gas, but when the weather is hot does not heat the kitchen to the extent that a large one would.

Many are not able to test the heat of an oven by their hand. In such cases, try the paper test. A piece of tissue paper will become light brown at about 400 degrees F., or a hot oven; mahogany paper will brown at about 300 degrees, or a moderate oven. This test may save for some both time and fuel.

The following figures are of interest because they show conclusively the waste of gas when the intelligent use of the different grade burners is not considered.

Method By Which Money

May Be Saved in Cooking.

In a household range, the simmering burner consumes from 4 to 6 cubic feet of gas per hour; the top double burner, 20 cubic feet; and the smaller top burner, 15 cubic feet. Each oven burner is tested for about 15 cubic feet. With gas at 75 cents net per 100 cubic feet, the simmering burner will cost per hour about one-half cent or less, while the top double burner will range about one and one-half cents, and the smaller top burner about one and one-eighth cents. Each oven burner will cost a trifle over one and one-third cents, making the oven when heated by both burners cost 15 to the neighborhood of three cents per hour.

Just back of the coals is an arrangement whereby air is mixed with the gas before it enters the burner. If there is not enough air, combustion is not complete and pots and pans are cracked and almost no heat is given off, which of course is an almost total loss of gas. The valve can easily be turned and adjusted until the flame is a clear blue, a regular Bunsen flame.

Much more use of the steamer should be encouraged. Just enough gas is needed to keep the water under the steamer at the boiling point. Almost an entire meal may be cooked in this small over one burner. Any meat or fish that is generally cooked in water can be put on a plate in the steamer; vegetables likewise. Baking powder biscuits steamed make the lightest dumplings; custards are much easier to steam than bake.

Brown bread and apples steamed in

Hints in Brief About

Cooking With Gas Stove

VEGETABLES do not cook faster by turning on all the heat and boiling the liquid violently. Water, unless under pressure, cannot be raised above the boiling point and any additional heat after the boiling point is but wasted. This does not hasten the cooking, but often wastes the food.

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When roasting start with a hot oven.

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Steam such things as brown bread and apples.

Fireless cooker is a wonderful time and fuel saver.

stead of baked are other examples of what may be done. If one has not a steam cooker with shelves, the comparatively inexpensive tin ones can be used by placing one on top of the other over a sauce pan of boiling water.

The fireless cooker is another wonderful time and fuel saver, that is if the plates are not of expensive material. These take 20 minutes over a double burner to heat, and then as two are used, almost as much gas is used to heat them as would be used in baking in the large oven. When made of a metal composition, about five minutes is generally enough. Bread, roasts, cakes, potatoes, baked between two plates, each requiring about 5 minutes of gas, is bound to reduce the gas bill.

Instructions for Making

A Handy Fireless Cooker.

Even a home-made one for cereals, vegetables, meats cooked in water, brown bread, etc., is most desirable. Cover the bottom of a soap or similar box with excelsior or hay to the depth of three inches; on the center of this put a 2-quart tin, granite, or aluminum bucket, with a tight-fitting lid; pack excelsior solidly around the bucket to the top of it. If packed firm enough, the bucket can be lifted in and out without disturbing the excelsior. A cushion or pillow, or a pad made of excelsior or hay, should be covered with a washable cover, if you like, but still a business. It is the means by which the average woman not only has to secure her happiness in life, but also her livelihood. Wifehood and motherhood are the career for which nature has destined her. Whether this career is brilliant or humble; whether she shines in society or takes in washing; whether she is rich or poor, depends upon the kind of a husband she gets.

Moreover, generally speaking, she has only a very few years, the short period of her youth and beauty, in which to achieve this career of wifehood. She must literally make her hay while the sun shines. This makes it all important to her to know the exact attitude of every man who comes about her.

She must know, to protect herself, whether he is a probability or a possibility as a husband, or whether he is merely a chamber of parlor chairs who, as a homely old lady once expressed it, "comes and comes, and sits and sits, but never courts."

A Dressing for Fruit Salad.

THEY never use oil in the dressing which they serve on fruit salads in the West Indies, according to a woman who used to live in that part of the world. They make an entirely different dressing which she considers delicious and the recipe for which she has brought here with her. This is it: Mix together in a saucepan on the fire 4 tablespoons of water, 3 tablespoons of sugar and 2 tablespoons of butter. Let it come to a boil and get just the least bit stringy. Take it from the fire and, when cooled a little, but not cold, stir in rapidly 1 tablespoon of lemon juice. Pour it over the fruit, which should be prepared and mixed together in a bowl, and serve the dish in the refrigerator. Serve when quite cold. The dressing will be found to have spread a delicate glaze over the fruit.

Teachers to Be Citizens in Hawaii

A BILL has been introduced in the Hawaiian Legislature providing that the Department of Public Instruction, in selecting new school teachers, give the preference to men and women who are citizens of the Territory. In former years the department has employed a large number of teachers brought here from the mainland. Another bill now before the Legislature provides that minimum wage for public school teachers shall be \$50 a month.

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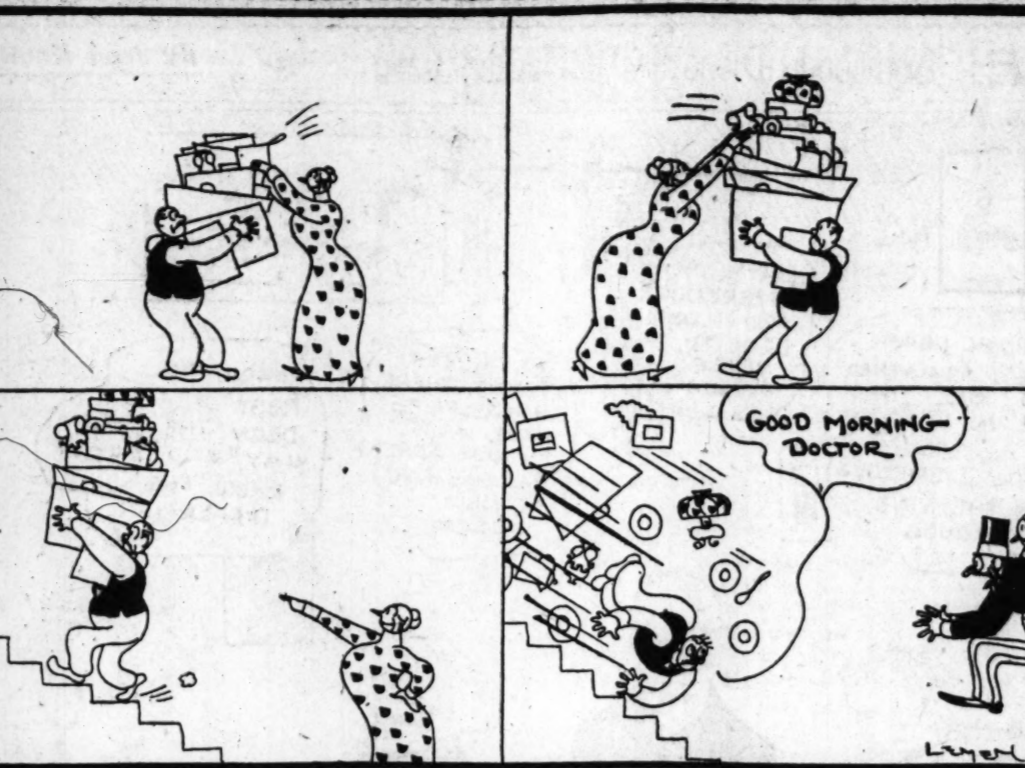
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GOOD MORNING, DOCTOR.

By LEMEN



Dorothy Dix says

Giving the Girl a Square Deal.

A PRETTY girl of my acquaintance is highly indignant because a young man with whom she has been playing around has served notice on her that his attentions are without intention, and that while he likes her as a friend and enjoys her society, he is not in love with her and has no notion of asking her to marry him.

"The concealed thing!" she exclaims. "How does he dare to think that I want to marry him! I suppose he thinks that I am sitting around with my fingers crossed for luck, hoping and praying that he will pop the question. I like to go to the theater with him and out to dinner because he's a good company, and I like to dance with him because his step matches mine, but as for marrying him—no, thank you! When I go out sleuthing for a husband I'll be looking for a very different man from him, and he needn't have troubled himself to warn me against cherishing any false hopes about getting him. The very idea!"

The girl is wrong. Instead of being angry at the young man and thinking that he displays a virulent case of swelled head in telling her plainly and flatly that there are no wedding bells on the program so far as he is concerned, she should admire him for his frankness and honesty and his consideration for her.

It isn't egotism that has made the young man explain to the girl exactly where he stands on the matrimonial platform. It is chivalry, the new chivalry of men that, for the first time in the world's history, really considers the woman and gives her a square deal.

Getting married is a girl's business, a sentimental business, if you like, but still a business. It is the means by which the average woman not only has to secure her happiness in life, but also her livelihood. Wifehood and motherhood are the career for which nature has destined her. Whether this career is brilliant or humble; whether she shines in society or takes in washing; whether she is rich or poor, depends upon the kind of a husband she gets.

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Girls are too ignorant of the world to realize it, but every man knows that a young woman can have no worse enemy than the man who is a social dead beat, who takes up her time and monopolizes her society, who lets her waste her youth and freshness and beauty upon him when he has no intention whatever of asking her to marry him.

He knows that his attentions are without intention. He knows that he is keeping away other men who would like to marry her. He knows that he is in all probability dooming her to a spinsterhood in which she will have to earn her own bread and butter instead of having a good husband to provide her with cake and ale, but because the girl is attracted or flattered by his flattery his vanity to be seen about with the prettiest debutante of the year, this monumental egotist sacrifices her whole future to his own selfish pleasure.

Sometimes such a man will even deliberately set himself to win the girl's heart. He talks sentiment to her by the yard. He beguiles her along all the flowery paths of romance to the very brink of the proposing point, but he never goes over that. At the very edge of it he stops short and backs away to safety. And after a while he flits away like a gay butterfly, to some other bud in the rosebud garden of girls.

Sometimes a trifle like this has done the girl an irreparable harm, because he has filled her heart so full of him it never has room in it for another man.

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Baby's First Bath Has a Right Way

"MOST young mothers dread the first baby's bath," Louise Stanley of the department of home economics of the University of Missouri declares. "They are not used to handling the youngsters and in some cases, are afraid he will break if not handled with care. The baby being handled by unaccustomed hands usually sets up a howl and the result is much discomfort on both sides."

"This can be avoided if the mother sets about the task in the right way. In the first place she must get everything at hand before starting. This means a small tub of water at the right temperature, and if the baby is very young a piece of Turkish toweling in the bottom of the tub; a mild soap, a soft wash cloth, some soft towels; oil and talcum for the cracks, saturated boric acid to wash out the eyes, and cotton and toothpicks to cleanse the nose."

"If the tub is placed upon the table of the right height the mother has a very much firmer basis on which to work than if she tried to hold the squirming child in her lap. The baby can be undressed lying on the table, soaped there, laid in the tub, washed off, dried, the cracks greased, a little powder added and then special attention given to the eyes and nose. He can be dressed while still on the table, and the whole operation is completed before either mother or baby realizes it."

Dish-Washing Made Easy

ONE of the new inventions for the comfort and pleasure of the housekeeper is a small, compact dishwashing machine which may be tucked away in one corner of her kitchen. It is a cylindrical affair, with racks and baskets for dishes and silverware which are easily removed. All that the housekeeper has to do is to scrape the used dishes and place them in here with the hot water, and set the machine to work. It is run by electricity and can be attached anywhere, it is said. It may also be connected with the hot-water system of the house and with the waste pipe. This machine is much like those used in hotels, but now comes in a small enough size to be of use in the average home, being inexpensive to operate.

Considerable Chatter.

MRS. BROADWAY: Has your husband got good, sound teeth?
Mrs. Pine: Oh, yes.
"Have you seen them all?"
"No, but the other night he got frightened and I heard them."

How to Iron Embroidery.

AN easy way to iron embroidered centerpieces and towels is to spread a thick bath towel over the ironing board, then spread the well dampened embroidery over this and press with a good hot iron. Care should be taken, however, not to have the iron too hot, for, if it is, it may make brown stains on the back of the heavy parts of the embroidery.

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How to Iron Embroidery.

AN easy way to iron embroidered centerpieces and towels is to spread a thick bath towel over the ironing board, then spread the well dampened embroidery over this and press with a good hot iron. Care should be taken, however, not to have the iron too hot, for, if it is, it may make brown stains on the back of the heavy parts of the embroidery.

SHERM'S DOTS



THE DOTS HELPING UNCLE SAM

By Clifford Leon Sherman

ONE of the girls brought her grandmother to the Dot Party for the AIE of the Soldiers, and the dear old lady told her recollections of another war, and interested her hearers mightily. Just before she finished, she spoke especially to the girls, and told them she wished that each and every one of them would come to her house as often as they could, and learn how to roll bandages and make comfort kits. "For," she said, "one of these days you will be growing up, and what you learn may come in handy, for, as long as wars endure, there is always a place for a —"

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tel, but now comes in a small enough size to be of use in the average home, being inexpensive to operate.

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Mazola is sold in bottles at 15 cents, but for even greater economy, buy in the larger tins.

Here is a Mazola recipe for Strawberry Short Cake which will show you just how good this best of summer desserts can be. It is one of many in the Mazola Book of Recipes, which you can get from your grocer, or write us direct; it is free on request.

REAL STRAWBERRY SHORT CAKE

Recipe by MRS. LINCOLN

Make a dough as for baking powder biscuit. When well kneaded, roll out one-fourth inch thick and cut with a cutter four inches in diameter. Brush half of the cakes with Mazola, cover with the remaining half and put close together on a floured baking pan. Bake about ten minutes. Have ready one-fourth cup of butter creamed with three-fourths cup of powdered sugar, and one quart to three pints of strawberries, rinsed and halved. Lay aside the largest berries, about half in all, slice them and sweeten slightly with powdered sugar. Keep them warm on back of stove. Mash the remaining berries and heat in a saucepan over hot water, not enough to cook them, merely hot enough to melt the butter and sugar, but do not add the creamed butter until the cakes are done. Pull the cakes apart and cover each part with the sliced berries. Put one on top of the other and when serving pour the hot sauce over the whole. In this way the cakes are not soggy from long soaking, nor cooled by the delay in buttering them; they have the full flavor of berries, butter and sugar, and are hot as genuine shortcakes should be. A sponge cake, covered with cold berries and whipped cream is all right in itself, but it is not strawberry shortcake.

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Yankees, Here for Series, Real Flag Contenders Now

However, Jinx, Who Cut Down Donovan's Crew Last Year, Is Again on the Job, Benching Gilhooley and Lee Magee—Donovan's Men Can Hit, Run and Pitch Like Winners.

By W. J. O'Connor.

AFTER winning three out of four games from Connie Mack's whippersnappers—the lone defeat being a 1-0 affair in which Joe Bush was implicated—the Browns are today preparing for more serious business. The Yankees, one of the five teams unanimously conceded a pennant chance, are here.

Just now the 'Yanks are sharing second place with the White Sox and are only one game ahead of the Browns. Bill Donovan's team won nation-wide recognition last season for being the champion hardluck aggregation of the major leagues. At one time or another the entire Yankee team was disabled and, after a gallant start, the club, through the loss of Baker, Gilhooley, Caldwell and others of equal importance, faded from a crimson championship into a fourth-place also-ran.

The injury line is still fanned. Gilhooley, who is frail but fearless, has suffered a broken rib and is dry-docked for at least another week. Lee Magee, a reformed Federal Leagueer, is not hitting enough to perform regularly and has been replaced by a recruit named Miller. Tim Hendrix is substituting for Gilhooley.

Maisel Now at Second.

Donovan has made another change over last season and this shift promises to be permanent. He has stationed Fritz Maisel on second in lieu of Joe Gedeon, who batted only .211 and fanned 61 times last season. Maisel is one of the best base runners in the league, although he hasn't yet begun to hit. His keystone work has been acceptable, however. The remainder of the team is as it was a year ago. Trip on first, Peckinbaugh at short, Baker on third and Lefty High in left field.

Donovan's pitchers have done great work this season, especially McGraw and Cullop. Bob Shawkey was late to start, but he beat Chicago, 1-0, in his first out last week. Caldwell has been reclaimed from the primeval path and is pitching dependable ball, while two youngsters, Russell and Shocker, are sure to be heard from later.

Pitching Staff Second Best.

Indeed, Donovan has as many good pitchers as any club in the league and several more than some of his competitors. Some of the railbirds think that Shawkey, McGraw, Caldwell, Cullop, Shocker and Russell are the best ranked next to Ruth, Leonard, Shore, Mays and Foster.

Also the Yankees must be respected for their batting punch. Wallie Pipp and Frank Baker are clean-up hitters who are liable at any time to break up the box score. There can be no sense of security behind a Jinx, and he's daily with these men facing a pitcher, with

Austin's Fine Work Wins Over Fans; Sisler Has Driven Home 17 Tallies

Nothing impressed the 12,000 patrons of the pop-eyed pastime who watched the Browns defeat the Mackmen, 8-1, yesterday, more than the work of the well-known "Pepper-Pot" alias Jimmy Austin. Jimmy, who has been in the Browns' line-up since he was a kid, is a coaxed two walks, whaled two doubles, scored two runs and swiped one base, besides furnishing a lead-off hit that kept the Brown machine hitting on nine infielders all day.

In 11 games in the current stand he alone Austin has made 11 hits, for an average of .291. His defensive work has been superlative, while his energizing force has been the one big factor in the Brown uplift. However, his work is not going unnoticed. The fans back of third base have been unusually generous in their applause for Jimmy, and he's daily becoming a bigger favorite.

All Over in One Round.

The Browns landed their K. O. punch in the first round, yesterday, just as they did Saturday. Yesterday's wallop put the enemy in the land of nod hurriedly. On Jimmy Austin walked, Rader singled and Jimmy to third, Jacobson was there in the pinch and his single and the subsequent error by W. Johnson, scored both Austin and Sisler, while Jake rule third base. He scored on wild pitch. Then Mack changed pitchers, but Rader and Austin were too hot to be stopped by Severed. Lavan doubled, scoring Rader and Austin.

Shotton and Austin walked in the fourth and pulled a double steal. The Browns' single sent them both home to rest, in the pregame round. Mack's sacrifice and scored on a wild pitch.

Sisler the Real "Punch."

Sisler is putting the winning punch in the Browns. He has driven in 17 runs, stolen seven bases and hit .311. He doesn't weaken, we shall hear the buzzing of a pennant bee.

Johnny Lavan hasn't batted his way to first since this season. However, Johnny is beginning to hit. He has climbed from .110 in the last week.

Only one member of the Brown club has made more hits than Austin. None of Jimmy's playmates has scored as many runs as he has. And Shotton is the only regular who has walked off.

Give Connie Mack some good pitchers and he would be one of the five contenders. Connie has an atrocious lot of hurlers but otherwise he has the team that will win the pennant. Minnie, Struss, Witt, Schang and Rader are major leagueers from the time they were to the top of their respective thought trees.

West Leads the East.

Following the first inter-sectional clashes of the season the clubs in the two major leagues, the West has a slight edge in the American League, while the East shows the way in the National. The count in the A. L. is 7-5 in favor of the West and 7-5 in the East.

The Browns and Indians held up the West's edge in the A. L. Jones' men took three out of four from the Athletics, while Phil's charges handed a nice drubbing. The White Sox broke even in four starts with the Yankees, while the Tigers have lost three and only one out of four from the world's champion Red Sox.

The only thing that kept the West from being totally annihilated in the A. L. was the surprising good showing of the Cleveland club, who seem to have lost their punch. The Browns broke even in two clashes with the Braves. The Cardinals and Reds, however, fell down badly. Huggins' men lost three straight to the Phils, while the Giants handed Matty's charges a nice dose.

Ty Cobb Wins.

After three successive failures, the Tigers came through yesterday and gained a 3-1 victory in 12 innings over the Red Sox. A double by Ty Cobb from the bottom of the ninth gave the Juggernauts the verdict. The world's champion right-handed came through with another good game, holding the world's champions to five scattered singles. Ernie Shore was the star, pitching a better game than he has in a long time. He struck out three batters and pitched a perfect game.

Kodie Cootie, the right-hander of the White Sox, came through with another good game yesterday, holding the Yankees to two hits and bettered the winning pitcher, 1-0. Cootie walked only one batter and fanned nine. Cullip, the rival, pitched five perfects. A pass to Collins, Jacobson's sacrifice and single by which produced the

PENNY ANTE: Somebody Discovers a Marked Card

By Jean Knott



EASTERN SCHOOLS LOSE HALF THEIR ATHLETES

Undergraduates by Hundreds Following Lead of Stars in Enlisting to Aid U. S.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Eastern college athletes, almost to a man, are showing the way and setting the example for the vast army of undergraduates who are responding to the call for military duty.

The reason why Eastern intercollegiate athletics is dead or dying is clear in the light of the following facts. The figures are given in round numbers, but they are a close approximation.

YALE—Out of 2500 undergraduates, 800 are already in the service and 1600 are drilling.

HARVARD—Out of 2500 undergraduates, more than one-quarter have responded to the call, while 1400 students are drilling each day.

PRINCETON—Out of 1700 undergraduates, at least 700 have answered the call, and practically all of the others are a taking intensive military drill.

PENNSYLVANIA—Out of 3500 undergraduates, 2000 men are under drill, while 700 or more have enlisted in one branch or the service or another.

CORNELL—Out of 4000 undergraduates, close to 2000 have enlisted in some form of Government service, while most of the remainder are in intensive military drill.

DARTMOUTH—Out of 1400 undergraduates, more than 500 have left college to enlist, while 600 or more are under military drill.

COLUMBIA—Out of 2000 undergraduates, more than 400 have enlisted for some kind of work, while 1600 are in intensive military drill.

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Wray's Column

No-Hit Glory Wanes.

As an open sesame to the Hall of Fame, the no-hit game gets a baseball pitcher only as far as the threshold. He will henceforth have to show other cards of admission, ere being assigned a niche.

Time was when a no-hit game was as rare as a blonde in Timbuctoo. Now they are as numerous as the inhabitants of a stray dog. High school boys, public school league pitchers and Municipal Association hurlers, as well as major league wizards, are all doing it, this year.

Perhaps the answer? Weather conditions? The epidemic of hitless baseballs and other performances are all cutting down on the supply of rubber or other elastic material.

And yet that doesn't fully account for it, since some of the major league sluggers are hitting the ball as well if not better than formerly.

Athletics at Standstill.

With the country facing the possibilities of a long war, with every probability that the athletic strength of the U. S. will be seriously cut down through casualties to the remarkable proportion of enlisted track, football and other performers, are all records are likely to remain at a standstill for some years.

The large number of enlisted college men among the first contingent to respond to Uncle Sam's call for arms makes it certain that practically all the high-class university athletes of the country will be playing in the trenches, with the possible exception of a few thousand, veterans of the Mexican border campaign.

Nor is it at all likely that the mind of the upcoming college athlete will be turned toward track and field glory, until the war is over. Records that he made this season, therefore, will probably stand for a long time.

Simpson's Great Chance.

BOB SIMPSON, soon to return to the farm to do his part in producing crops for Uncle Sam, is one of the fortunate athletes who will still be able to take part in the few remaining tournaments of the season.

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DEATHS

Mary F. Frenz, dear brother
 of Mary F. and Clara A. Frenz and
 dear nephew, after a lingering
 illness, aged 15 years.
 Funeral on Wednesday, at 9:30 a.
 m., from residence, 2939A Hubert
 street, to St. Augustine's Church
 cemetery, to Calvary Cemetery. Rela-
 tives and friends invited to attend. (C)
GOLDEN—Saturday, May 12, 1917, at
 2:15 p. m., Thomas F. Golden,
 beloved son of James F. and Sarah Gol-
 den (nee Connolly), dear brother of
 Joseph F., James F. Jr., Mary and
 William Golden, and our dear nephew
 and cousin.
 Funeral Tuesday, May 15, at 9:30

HAASE—Entered into rest on Sunday, May 13, 1917, at 10 p. m., Edward Haase. (c)

Due notice of funeral. (c)

HERKERT—Entered into rest on Sunday, May 13, 1917, at 10:30 p. m. Theresa Herkert, beloved wife of Joseph Herkert and dear mother of Joseph and Fred Herkert, and our dear aunt. Funeral from Geraghty's chapel, 22 Easton avenue, on Wednesday, May 16, at 2 p. m., to Holy Ghost church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

HOLLER—Entered into rest Saturday, May 12, 1917, at 10:30 a. m. (c)

(see Conley, son of Mathilda
 and the late Anthony Holle,
 of George Lusk, son of
 Edward Holle.
 Funeral from family residence, 4644
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ary A. Jackson (nee Sargent), beloved mother of Jesse J. Jackson, John W. H. H. Oiler, Jr. and Mrs. August Gerst. Mrs. Hattie Leary, Mrs. Charles Osterhorn, and our grandfather and great-grandfather, at the age of 72 years.

Funeral, Wednesday, Aug. 1, at 8:30 a. m. from the family residence, 30A St. Louis avenue, to St. Matthew's Church, thence to Calvary cemetery. Carriages. (cs)

WHE-Entered into rest on Saturday, July 31, at 11:15 p. m. Matthew Lohe, beloved son of Bridget (nee Coughlin), brother of George and Loretta Lohe and Mrs.

ally residence, 2235 Maiden Lane, New York 10, N. Y. to the Central Heort Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Carriages. (6)

LEININGER.—On Saturday, May 11, 1917, at 8:45 a. m., at the residence of her daughter, Robert Emmitt Mathews Jr., her beloved husband, died. Burial in the Thorne Mathews (nee Hynes), and her family residence, 1001 Florida avenue, on Tuesday, May 14, 1917, at 2 p. m. (6)

LEININGER.—Entered into rest on Sunday, May 13, 1917, at 2 p. m. (6)

LEININGER.—On Saturday, May 11, 1917, at 3:30 p. m., at the residence of his wife, Ida Mollin Leininger, Esther and Alvin Mollin and L. B. Hines, died. Burial in the Leininger place, Richmond Heights, on Tuesday, May 14, 1917, at 2 p. m. St. Peter's Cemetery. Motor. (3)

LEININGER.—On Saturday, May 11, 1917, at 3:30 p. m., at the residence of his wife, Ida Mollin Leininger, his beloved husband of Mary Fritzsche (nee Vorge), and dear father of Mrs. L. B. Hines, died. Burial in the Leininger and our dear son-in-law, Alvin Mollin Leininger, on Tuesday, May 14, 1917, at 2 p. m. from St. Peter's Cemetery. Motor. (3)

LEININGER.—On Saturday, May 11, 1917, at 3:30 p. m., from St. Peter's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. New St. Marcus Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to the funeral which will take place on Tuesday, May 14, 1917, at 2 p. m. from St. Peter's Church, 2234 Maiden Lane, New York 10, N. Y. (6)

PICKETT—On Monday, May 14, 1937, at 6:30 a. m., William T. Pickett, beloved son of Thomas Pickett, our brother, brother-in-law and uncle, aged 26 years.

Funeral from residence of Mrs. Pickett, 2100 South Ninth street, on

Assumption Church, thence to St. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Motor. (23)

AN—Entered into rest Sunday, May 13, 1917, Johanna C. Ryan, beloved sister of Mary E. and John F. Ryan, and the late M. J. Ryan and Ben G. Ryan. Remains will be taken to F. G.

SCHRAMM—Entered into rest on Monday, May 14, 1917, at 2 a. m. Anna Schramm (nee Schaaf), wife of Edward Schramm, beloved mother of Martha, Dorothy and Lillian Schramm, the wife of M. R. Schaaf, daughter of

the age of 47 years. May 16, from home, 2548A North Market street, 9 a. m., to Sacred Heart Church, en route to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

ITH—Entered into rest on Sunday, May 13, 1917. Leonard Calvary Ith, father of Leonard C. Jr., David Ith and Richard Kennard Smith.

10 p. m. Interment in Bellefontaine National Cemetery. Deceased was past master of Naphthal Lodge, No. 25, A. F. and M. (6)
AGE—Entered into rest on Sunday, May 12, 1917, at 2:45 a. m., in the Louisville Stage, nee Schwenk, moved sister of George L. and Frank Schwenk, and Mrs. William F. Maenkemeier, after a lingering illness.
 Funeral Tuesday, May 15, at 2 p. m.

SWEENEY—On Saturday, May 12, 1917, Mary Sweeney (nee Welsh), mother of Mrs. Mary A. Ray (nee Sweeney), M. J. Sweeney and the late P. Sweeney, and Kate Tiffin

Funeral Tuesday, May 13, at 7:30
m., from residence of her grand-
daughter, 4288A Harris avenue, to
St. Rosary Church, thence to Cal-
vary Cemetery. (6)

Trott, beloved son of Louis and
Anie Trott (nee Rehfuess), dear
ther of William and Marie Trott
our dear grandson and nephew,
the age of 18 years.
Funeral on Wednesday, May 16, at
m. from family residence, 2824

WUNSCH—On Sunday, May 13, 1917, at 2:30 a. m., Frank Wunsch, beloved husband of Anna Wunsch (nee Halek), and dear son of August and Lena Wunsch, dear brother of Richard and William.

aw, uncle and nephew, aged 35
rs.
funeral from residence, 1334 South
rd street, Tuesday, May 15, at 1:30
n., to St. Vincent's Church, thence
St. Peter and Paul's Cemetery,
or.

BREWERY WORKERS TO SEND COMMITTEE TO WASHINGTON

Protest Will Be Made There Against Prohibiting Use of Cereals in Manufacture of Liquor.

The Brewery Workers Union, meeting yesterday in Central Trades Hall, voted to send a committee to Washington, to protest against Federal legislation to prohibit the use of cereals for manufacturing liquor. The committee, it was announced, will pledge the loyalty of the brewery workers to the Government.

The union, at the same meeting, voted 47 to 35 to disapprove a proposal to help the Government by donating space in the Labor Press, an official publication, for recruiting advertisements for the army and navy. This proposal has been officially approved by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor.

MERCHANDISE WILL BE WARNED AGAINST USING FLAGS IN ADS

Prosecuting Attorney Siders Gather Specimens Believed to Violate Missouri Law.

Prosecuting Attorney Siders has received specimens of many posters, announcements and other forms of advertising matter which are being used by St. Louis business houses, and many of which he believes are in violation of section 8834 of the Missouri statutes, which forbid the use of the United States flag for advertising purposes.

A number of these specimens have been collected by Patrolman Kidwell, who has been specially detailed to watch for flag desecration in violation of the law.

The prosecuting attorney has written letters to several St. Louis firms and is preparing to write to others, calling their attention to the law.

Greek Ship Sunk, 12 of Crew Missing.

NEW YORK, May 14.—The chief mate and 31 men are missing from the Greek Steamship Parthenon, reported on May 8 as having been sunk by a submarine, according to a cablegram received from London today by D. J. Theophilatos, local agent for the owners.

FOR DEATH NOTICES SEE PRECEDING PAGE

PERSONAL

PERSONAL—Katie, home housewife, as you say, am home. A. F. B.

ADOPTION

FOR ADOPTION—Pretty baby, one month old. Box B-4, Post-Dispatch.

SPECIAL NOTICES

SPECIAL NOTICE—To whom it may concern: I hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any bills received by me after this date. HARRY MATTHEWS.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that Matilda May (white), weighing about 140 pounds and about 5 feet 4 inches in height, last seen in the city of St. Louis, Mo., on the 25th day of December, 1916, leaving an address of 1413 North 1st St., St. Louis, Mo., for the purpose of securing the estate of the late Matilda May.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Automobile tire—Lost on rim. Return to 1000 Washington Blvd., 1310 Pine.

LOST—Beaded bag—Lost in O'Fallon Park. Return to 1000 Washington Blvd., 1310 Pine.

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FOUND—TAN LEATHERS, HAND SATCHEL, SEWING MACHINE, BICYCLE, Fifth District, BRASS KEY, Twelfth District. RESS, Fourth District.

BUSINESS CARDS

CARPET CLEANING—UPHOLSTERY

AMERICAN Carpet Cleaning Co., 2221 Easton. Central 2400. Remodeled new. 2221 Easton. Central 2400.

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COLLECTOR—Sit. on salary or part salary and commission; reliable; good references. Box 1141. Post-Dispatch.

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DRIVERS—Call 4100 Gravois tomorrow. A. M. M. Federer.

DRIVER—For city team; at 1851 Glasgow. Box 1141. Post-Dispatch.

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The Post-Dispatch
Daily Short Story

Outwitted

By F. H. Sweet.

CAPT. BEROWITZ raised his sword with a swift, adroit movement, and a line of blood began to trickle from the man's throat; and yet no vital point had been touched.

"Do we understand you are familiar with the passage?" he cried.

For an instant the man's eyes flashed into theirs, whether in fear or surprise at the marvelous skill of the sword thrust, they could not say. Then the gaze dropped.

"Yes."

"And you can lead us to Tsarbrod in eight hours?"

"Yes."

"It is well. Osman, Kerment," beckoning forward two of the soldiers, "you will walk beside this man. Watch his every movement. If there is the least sign of treachery, kill him. If he makes any signal, or there is any sign of ambush or danger, kill him. Do not give him the benefit of a doubt. Do you understand?" to the Bulgars.

Not the quiver of a muscle disturbed the impassive face; and yet both officers had an uneasy conviction of a smile, so elusive as to seem below rather than upon the surface.

"Yes."

"Good. It is well to know what is before us." Then Capt. Berowitz allowed the menace to go with his voice. It might be well to win other avenues to the man's heart.

"If you lead us to Tsarbrod in eight hours," he said slowly, "and all goes well, you shall have as much yellow gold as you can carry, and, besides," his eyes gazing for the man's soul like two stiletto points, "such members of your family as I understand are in prison will be released. Now lead the way."

The Bulgars did not answer, did not even raise his eyes as they advanced, against the wall of rock. Presently a ravine opened on their right, broadening and deepening as they went forward, until, near the face of the wall, it was 30 feet or more in depth, with sheer sides and jagged, snow-spotted bottom.

The men gazed down the precipice, and up the barrier of rock which towered in front, and their steps grew slow. They were not files to creep down perpendicular walls, nor birds to scale heights that almost mocked the vision. But as they gained the wall, so near that they could touch it with outstretched hands, the Bulgars swerved into a fissure that opened almost parallel to the face itself. A few yards, and the narrow fissure broadened to a width where three or four could walk abreast. Then it dropped down over great boulders and through transverse gulches where the men slipped and floundered and swore, and then up, and down and up again, until the tolling, exasperated men lost all sense of direction. Sometimes they were going north, sometimes south, sometimes east and sometimes west. The ravine became broken into a dozen, a hundred, leading into all conceivable directions, and apparently to nowhere.

They toiled on hour after hour, the soldiers swearing under their breath, the officers watchful but uncertain, and the Bulgars with his eyes still bent upon the ground. And then at last, so suddenly as to cause a general start of surprise, they emerged from a cleft and left the mountains and ravines behind.

Naturally they looked to see Tsarbrod, but it was not there. Instead, they saw an open country with a small ravine on one side, and on the very brink of the ravine stood the Bulgars. His eyes were not bent upon the ground now, but gazed straight into those of the officers. And there was a smile on his face.

"Victory for Bulgaria!" he cried mockingly.

The officers raised their hands simultaneously, and there was the report of the guards' guns, sounding as one. The Bulgars dropped backward into the ravine. It was not quite clear, however, whether he fell before the report or after.

But apparently it did not matter. They passed over the brink and lay down on the rocks and snow 30 feet below. Bullets or ravine, it was all the same.

"Come," said Capt. Berowitz, savagely, "we may as well go back to Tsarbrod."

Down in the ravine the Bulgars listened until the sound of their footsteps died away in the distance. Then he raised himself with difficulty, for there were many bruises and a broken arm, but the exultation kept all agony from his face. For himself it did not matter. It was nearly night now and on the morrow starving peasants would come to hunt among the rocks for rabbits and edible roots, and they would find him. And with that thought, and the smile of exultation on his face, he fainted.

"Old Mr. Fox was an inquisitive sort of fellow, and he just stopped and took a look into the pan that stood on Grandma Rabbit's window sill. 'Um,' he said, 'eggs, eggs, why, I believe I should like eggs instead of chicken after all for my Easter breakfast. I'll just lift the whole pan full and have a good feast of eggs, fried, boiled and scrambled and all ways for Sunday,' and then he laughed at what he thought was a joke about all ways for Sunday."

"Mr. Fox did not notice in the moonlight that the eggs were colored; they looked all white, so when he reached home without lighting his lamp Mr. Fox placed the pan of eggs in the pantry and went to bed."

"The morning when he went to get the eggs he almost fell over from surprise, for there were the nice fresh eggs all colors of the rainbow."

"They are spoiled," he said, "not fit to eat, and here I am without anything for breakfast, or else somebody is trying to poison me. I would not dare eat one. I wish old Mrs. Rabbit had her eggs back. I wonder if I could get them back on her window sill before she wakes up."

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A FEW PUSH-BUTTONS ON MY DESK WILL HELP ME SIGNAL THE BOYS OUTSIDE ABOUT LETTING IN VISITORS



ALL I NEED NOW IS A MACHINE TO MAKE OUT MY CHECKS AND TAKE THEM TO THE BANK TO BE CASHED



I LOSE A LOT OF TIME GOING OUT TO LUNCH - I'LL OVERCOME THAT WITH AN ELECTRIC LUNCHMETER IN THE OFFICE



THIS LUNCH IS FINE - NOW I'LL GET A THINKOGRAPH TO DO MY THINKING FOR ME



I WONDER IF THERE IS ANY WAY I CAN AVOID SLEEPING



SILLYSONNETS

'MID TROUBLED TIDES THAT TOSS AND FOAM



I YEARN TO HAVE AN ISLAND HOME,



WHERE POMP AND PRIDE SHALL HAVE NO PLACE -



TEN DAYS ON BLACKWELL'S FITS YOUR CASE!



MUTT AND JEFF—IT WAS ONLY FIGURATIVELY SPEAKING AND JEFF TOOK IT LITERALLY—BY BUD FISHER.

THERE'S ANOTHER SUBMARINE COMING UP TO TAKE THE AIR! BY GOSH! THERE AIN'T GOING TO BE ANY DOUBT ABOUT ME HITTING THIS ONE LIKE THERE WAS ABOUT THE LAST ONE I SHOT AT.



WOULD YOU LOOK AT THE NUMBER ON THE THING? THEY MUST BE NUMBERING 'EM HIGH TO MAKE US THINK THERE'S A LOT OF THEM



WELL, I HIT YOU THAT TIME ALL RIGHT DIDN'T I?

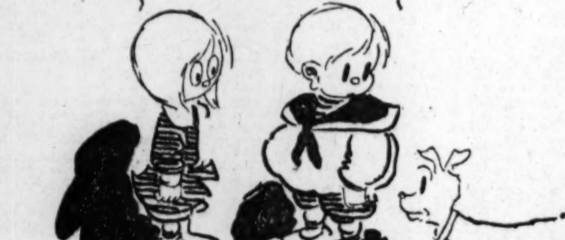


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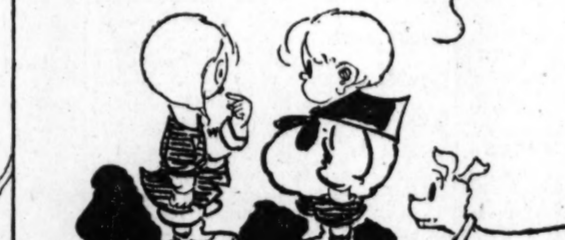


"S'MATTER, POP?"—ALL'S SAFE AS LONG AS THE DOG DON'T CHANGE HIS PRESENT DIET—BY C. M. PAYNE.

DOES HE BITE?



OH, YES INDEED



WOULD HE BITE ME?



NO! OF COURSE NOT



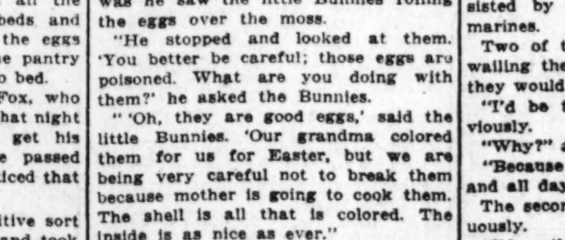
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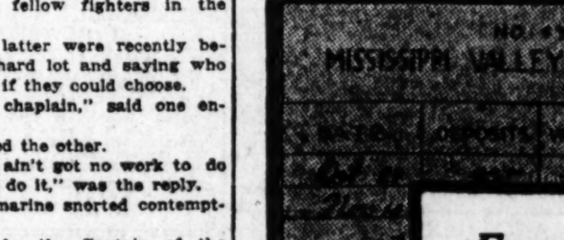
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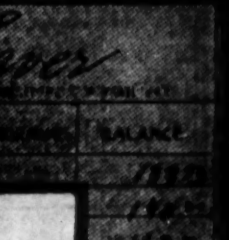
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The Sandman Story
For To-night

Mr. Fox and the Eggs.

It was almost Easter, time and Mrs. Rabbit had been teased almost out of her senses by the little Bunny Rabbits to let them have colored eggs to roll on Easter morning.

"I don't see why we can't have a whole basket full," said one Bunny. "I saw nests and nests full of eggs up at Farmer Brown's; why can't father get them when he gets the best of the lettuce?"

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear! We want some eggs to color for Easter," they cried.

"What is all this noise about? I could hear you children away down the road," said Grandma Rabbit, who had just come in.

The Bunnies usually saw Grandma Rabbit a good way off and ran to meet her and carry her bag of knitting; for she always had a peppermint or some cinnamon drops in her big pocket; but this morning they were so busy crying they did not see her until she stood

in the doorway.

"Oh! grandma, we want colored eggs for Easter," they all cried at once, dancing about her and clinging to her skirts.

"Well, well, stop this noise and we will see what can be done," she said.

"Come here and I will tell you a story my grandma used to tell me about Mr. Fox and the Easter eggs, and I am sure that on Easter morning you will have plenty of colored eggs to roll, my dears, so don't cry any more," she said.

Grandma Rabbit began her knitting and all the little Bunnies sat around on the floor at her feet, their ears sticking up very straight so they might not lose one word of the story.

"Well, it was just the day before Easter Sunday that this happened," said Grandma Rabbit, "and my grandma said there were some little Bunnies just like you, my dears, crying for colored eggs for Easter, and their grand-

ma had fixed, and when later in the day old Mr. Fox was walking about to see if he could forget how hungry he was he saw the little Bunnies rolling the eggs over the moss.

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"'Oh, they are good eggs,' said the little Bunnies. 'Our grandma colored them for us for Easter, but we are being very careful not to break them because mother is going to cook them. The shell is all that is colored. The inside is as nice as ever.'

"My, but old Mr. Fox was cross to think he had been to all the trouble to carry back the eggs when they were all nice and fresh.

"He just ran home and walked the floor and said awful things about himself and decided that the next time he found Mrs. Rabbit's pantry window open he would take anything and everything he could reach.

"But Grandma Rabbit was a good old soul, and when dinner time came she had so many eggs that she and the mother of the little Bunnies made an omelet and sent it to old Mr. Fox. Little dreaming they had almost lost their colored eggs because of his badness.

"When old Mr. Fox saw the nice omelet he was a little ashamed of what he had done and decided after all he would not touch anything in old Mrs. Rabbit's pantry ever again."

"Oh! grandma, you will not put your eggs in the pantry window, will you?" cried all the little Bunnies, as their grandma finished her story.

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fix a big basket of eggs ready for them to roll on the soft green banks of moss near their home on Easter morn.

"So the night before when all the Bunnies were safe in their beds and asleep their grandma colored the eggs and put them in a pan in the pantry window to dry and she went to bed.

"It happened that old Mr. Fox, who lived in the woods, started out that night rather late for the farm to get his breakfast, and as he passed Grandma Rabbit's house he noticed that the window was open.

"Old Mr. Fox was an inquisitive sort of fellow, and he just stopped and took a look into the pan that stood on Grandma Rabbit's window sill. 'Um,' he said, 'eggs, eggs, why, I believe I should like eggs instead of chicken after all for my Easter breakfast. I'll just lift the whole pan full and have a good feast of eggs, fried, boiled and scrambled and all ways for Sunday,' and then he laughed at what he thought was a joke about all ways for Sunday."

"Mr. Fox did not notice in the moonlight that the eggs were colored; they looked all white, so when he reached home without lighting his lamp Mr. Fox placed the pan of eggs in the pantry and went to bed."

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Just Ideal.

It is the privilege of the British soldier to "grouse," and he is ably assisted by his fellow fighters in the marines.

Two of the latter were recently bewailing their hard lot and saying how they would be if they could choose.

"I'd be the chaplain," said one enviously.

"Why?" asked the other.

"Because he ain't got no work to do and all day to do it," was the reply.

The second marine snorted contemptuously.

"I'd rather be the Captain of the marines."

"Would you? Whaffor?"

"Well, the chaplain as you say, ain't got nothing to do and all day to do it in; but the Captain of the marines, he ain't got nothing to do and all day to do it in, and a Lieutenant to 'elp him do it."

Not Woman-Like.

Do you see a face in the moon, dear?" said the sweet young thing.

"Yes," he replied.

"Does it seem like a man of a woman?"

"Like a man, dear. It's altogether too still to be like a woman."

From the Chestnut Tree.

THEY'RE going to build a sausage factory on the golf course.

"What for?"

"To make use of the links, I presume."

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ER has walked across his hand today.

"Hurt you?"

"Not whilst he was walkin', but oh, boy, when he set down!"

"Hard blow struck on both sides of the river." Whereupon, the stream was forced to run.

It is a good thing to have a good thing, but too much of a good thing is frequently injurious.

Some women hardly get a wedding dress before they begin to look up material for a divorce suit.

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